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PORT ARTHUR AND FORT WILLIAM, CITIES OF:

Petition for an Act respecting, 65. Read and received, 73. Reported by Committee on Standing Orders, 102. Bill (No. 22) introduced and referred to Committee on Private Bills, 103. Reported as amended, 157. Second reading, 162. House in Committee, 179. Third reading, 187. Royal Assent, 308. (3 George VI, c. 68.)

POWER COMMISSION ACT, THE:

Bill (No. 80) to amend, introduced, 178. Second reading, 205. House in Committee, 255, 267. Third reading, 270. Royal Assent, 309. (3 George VI, c. 35.)

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3. As to the purchase and sale of old Government House property at King and Simcoe Streets, Toronto, and purchase and disposition of Chorley Park, 49. Answered, 66.

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7. As to expenditures by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission and by the Government of the Province on the Long Lac and Ogoki Diversion projects, 50. Answered, 204.
8. As to the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938, 50. Answered, 138.
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10. As to number of agreements or undertakings entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, in connection with the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills, etc., 67. Return ordered, 146.
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24. As to whether the Government during the operating season 1934-35 advertised for sale the timber or any part thereof standing or growing upon the Townships of Copperfield and/or Bonar or any part or parts thereof, 134. Answered, 194.
25. As to whether the Government has since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or other means or process other than advertisement and sale by tender increased the size of any areas held under license from the Crown for the cutting of pulpwood, saw-logs, railway ties or other kinds or classes of lumber or timber products, 135. Return ordered, 151.
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29. As to the amount of Gasoline Tax rebates during the year ending March 31st, 1939, 171. Removed from Order Paper, 195.
30. As to what persons other than Civil Servants were engaged by the Government to prepare or assist in preparing the submission of the Province of Ontario to the Rowell Commission, 171. Answered, 195.
31. As to the constitution of the Public Trustee's staff and salaries received, 171. Answered, 227.
32. As to the placement of Insurance by the Liquor Control Board, 172. Answered, 241.
33. As to payments by the Government during the fiscal year ending March 31st, for cutting grass and weeds on the King's Highways, 181. Answered, 230.
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35. As to whether the Minister of Lands and Forests gave his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited, 182. Answered, 231.
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38. As to whether the Department of Education approved of the use of History books entitled "Britain's Story," and The Kingsway Histories from the age of Elizabeth to modern times, 183. Answered, 250.
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 44. As to calling for tenders for redraping the Legislative Chamber for the King's visit, 215. Answered, 251.
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 46. As to contracts let without advertisements for tenders by the Department of Highways for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridge building from April 1st, 1937 to date, 236. Answered, 303.
 47. As to number of men employed on Highway No. 24 between Collingwood, Shelburne and Stayner and on Highway No. 26 between Collingwood, Stayner and Thornbury, 245. Answered, 282.
 48. As to whether the Provincial Treasurer has since 1934 utilized the provision of Section 20 of the Succession Duty Act and applied to any Surrogate Court Judge to make enquiries into the matters mentioned in Section 20, 245. Answered, 272.
 49. As to legal fees paid Mr. A. G. Slaght, K.C., since July 1st, 1934, 257. Answered, 272.
 50. As to cost of new bridge on Highway No. 11 situated in Burk's Falls and opened in 1938, 257. Return ordered, 306.

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Bill (No. 56) introduced, 93. Resolution passed through the House, 116. Motion for Second reading debated, 118. Second reading, 152. House in Committee and amended, 181. Third reading, 190. Royal Assent, 197. (3 George VI, c. 39.)

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1. Authorized, 15.
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Bill (No. 28) to amend, introduced, 22. Second reading, 42. House in Committee and amended, 55. Third reading, 59. Royal Assent, 196. (3 George VI, c. 40.)

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2. Showing: How many agreements or undertakings have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other industries of a similar nature with particulars as to names, dates, points of establishment, capacity and all particulars as to amounts to be expended, numbers of men to be employed, etc., 146.
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6. Showing: Has the Government, since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or other means, other than by sale by tender, increased the size of areas held under license for the cutting of pulpwood, sawlogs, railway ties or other kinds or classes of timber with particulars of areas affected, holders of licenses, amount of increase, etc., 151.
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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8TH, 1939

PROCLAMATION

R. S. ROBERTSON

CANADA

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GEORGE THE SIXTH by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Faithful, the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of our Province of Ontario, and to every of you—GREETING.

PROCLAMATION

G. D. CONANT, }
Attorney-General. } **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of Our said Province and, therefore, WE DO WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on WEDNESDAY, the eighth day of the month of March now next, at OUR CITY OF TORONTO, personally be and appear for the actual Despatch of Business, to treat, act, do

and conclude upon those things which, in Our Legislature of Our Province of Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the GREAT SEAL of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: THE HONOURABLE ROBERT SPELMAN ROBERTSON,
Chief Justice of Ontario, ADMINISTRATOR OF OUR GOVERNMENT
OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO,

at Our City of Toronto, in Our said Province, this thirty-first day of January in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the third year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

C. F. BULMER.
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Wednesday, the eighth day of March, 1939, being the first day of the Third Session of the Twentieth Legislature of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Robert Spelman Robertson, Administrator of the Government of the Province of Ontario.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, having entered the House, took his seat on the Throne.

Mr. Nixon (Brant), the Provincial Secretary, then said,

I am commanded by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor to state that the Honourable Norman O. Hipel, having, after your last Session, by a letter addressed to the Honourable Mitchell F. Hepburn and the Honourable Harry C. Nixon, two members of the Legislative Assembly, resigned the Chair of the Legislative Assembly, it is therefore the pleasure of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that you do forthwith choose a fit and proper person to be your Speaker and that you do present him whom you have so chosen to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, in this House, at a later hour this afternoon for His Honour's approbation, when the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor will declare the causes of his calling this Legislature.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

The Clerk informed the House,

That there had been received during the recess of the House, as provided by the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 12, Section 23, and Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 12, Section 32, notifications of vacancies which has occurred in the Membership of the House and Warrants had been issued to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for the issue of Writs for the election of Members to serve in the present Legislature for the following Electoral Districts:

Electoral District of Brantford.

Electoral District of Parkdale (Toronto).

Electoral District of Waterloo South.

Electoral District of Simcoe East.

*To the Honourable Norman O. Hipel, M.P.P.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned, Mitchell Frederick Hepburn, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Elgin, and Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Brant, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Brantford by reason of the death of Morrison Mann MacBride, heretofore the Member of the said Assembly for the said Electoral District of Brantford.

And we, the said Mitchell Frederick Hepburn and Harry Corwin Nixon, Members of the Assembly as aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new Writ for the election of a member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Fourteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	M. F. HEPBURN	[L.S.]
R. H. ELMHIRST.		H. C. NIXON	[L.S.]

*To the Honourable Norman O. Hipel, M.P.P.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Brant, and Harold James Kirby, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Eglinton, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Parkdale by reason of the death of

Frederick George McBrien, heretofore the Member of the said Assembly for the said Electoral District of Parkdale.

And we, the said Harry Corwin Nixon and Harold James Kirby, Members of the Assembly as aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new Writ for the election of a Member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this First day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	H. C. NIXON	[L.S.]
A. E. SEMPLE.		HAROLD J. KIRBY	[L.S.]

*To Charles Frederick Bulmer, Esquire,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.*

We, the undersigned Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, for the Electoral District of Brant and Harold James Kirby, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Eglinton, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Waterloo South, by reason of the acceptance of an office under the Crown, to wit: the office of Minister of Labour for the Province of Ontario, by Norman O. Hipel, Esquire, heretofore the Member of the said Assembly for the said Electoral District of Waterloo South.

And we, the said Harry Corwin Nixon and Harold James Kirby, Members of the Assembly as aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new Writ for the election of a Member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	H. C. NIXON	[L.S.]
A. E. SEMPLE.		HAROLD J. KIRBY	[L.S.]

Toronto, Ontario,
January 13th, 1939.

To Leopold Macaulay, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the Electoral District of York South and Thomas Alexander Murphy, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the Electoral District of Beaches (Toronto).

I hereby resign my seat in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario as the representative of the Electoral District of Simcoe East.

This declaration is made pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, Section 25.

Witnesses: F. S. ASNER,
JAMES F. CASSIDY.

W. FINLAYSON [L.S.]

*To Charles Frederick Bulmer, Esquire,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.*

We, the undersigned, Leopold Macaulay, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the Electoral District of York South and Thomas Alexander Murphy, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Beaches (Toronto), do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Simcoe East by reason of the resignation of William Finlayson, Esquire, heretofore the Member of the said Assembly for the said Electoral District of Simcoe East.

And we, the said Leopold Macaulay and Thomas Alexander Murphy, Members of the Assembly as aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new Writ for the election of a Member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	LEOPOLD MACAULAY	[L.S.]
F. S. ASNER.			
JAMES F. CASSIDY.		THOMAS ALEX MURPHY	[L.S.]

The Clerk informed the House that he had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery and had laid upon the Table the following certificates of the election of Members since the last Session of the House:—

Electoral District of Brantford—Henry Louis Hagey.

Electoral District of Parkdale—William J. Stewart.

Electoral District of Waterloo South—Norman O. Hipel.

Electoral District of Simcoe East—George Alexander Drew.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Fourteenth day of June, A.D. 1938, issued by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, and addressed to Justin Read, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Brantford, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral

District of Brantford in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Morrison Mann MacBride, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Brantford, has departed this life, Henry Louis Hagey, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-fifth day of July, A.D. 1938, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, August 3rd, 1938.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to Certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Second day of September, A.D. 1938, issued by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, and addressed to John E. Madden, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Parkdale, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Parkdale in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Frederick George McBrien, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Parkdale, has departed this life, William J. Stewart, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Fourteenth day of October, A.D. 1938, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, October 19th, 1938.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to Certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the Second day of September, A.D. 1938, issued by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, and addressed to William Elliott, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Waterloo South, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Waterloo South in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Norman O. Hipel, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Waterloo South, has accepted an office of profit under the Crown, To wit: the office of Minister of Labour for the Province of Ontario, by reason whereof the seat of the said Norman O. Hipel has become vacant, Norman O. Hipel, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-ninth day of September, A.D. 1938, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, October 19th, 1938.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to Certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Sixteenth day of January, A.D. 1939, issued by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, and addressed to A. A. Ingram, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Simcoe East, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Simcoe East in the Legislative Assembly for this Province, in the room of William Finlayson, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Simcoe East, has resigned, George Alexander Drew, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Fourteenth day of February, A.D. 1939, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, February 15th, 1939.

Henry Louis Hagey, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Brantford; William J. Stewart, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Parkdale, and George Alexander Drew, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Simcoe East, having taken the Oaths and signed the Roll, took their seats.

The Clerk then read, for the information of the House, the following communications:—

Toronto, September 2nd, 1938.

To Major Alex. C. Lewis,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
Ontario.

Dear Sir:

I beg to advise you for the information of the Legislative Assembly, that I have resigned my position as Speaker of the Assembly for the purpose of accepting an office under the Crown, namely the office of Minister of Labour for the Province of Ontario.

Yours very truly,

N. O. HIPEL.

Toronto, September 2nd, 1938.

To the Honourable Mitchell F. Hepburn, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the Riding of Elgin, and the Honourable Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the Riding of Brant:

I, the undersigned Norman Otts Hipel, desire to resign the office of Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, to which I was elected on the First day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, and I do hereby resign said office.

Given under my hand and seal, at Toronto, this Second day of September, A.D. 1938.

In the presence of FLORETTA A. PRITCHARD.

N. O. HIPEL.

The Mace was then brought into the House and placed under the Table.

And the Clerk having called for nominations for the office of Speaker, the Prime Minister, Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), addressing himself to the Clerk, proposed to the House for their Speaker, James Howard Clark, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Windsor-Sandwich, which motion was seconded by Mr. Drew, and it was.

Resolved, That James Howard Clark do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

The Clerk having declared the Honourable James Howard Clark duly elected, he was conducted by the Prime Minister and Mr. Drew to the Chair, where, standing on the upper step, he returned his humble acknowledgements to the House for the great honour they had been pleased to confer upon him by choosing him to be their Speaker.

And thereupon he sat down in the Chair and the Mace was laid upon the Table.

The House then adjourned during pleasure.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor then re-entered the House and took his seat on the Throne.

Mr. Speaker then addressed His Honour to the following effect:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly have elected me as their Speaker.

If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error, I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Assembly whose servant I am and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their King and Country, hereby claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates, access to your person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from you the most favourable consideration.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker:

I am commanded by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the Assembly to His Majesty's person and Government, and, not doubting that the proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temperance and prudence, he grants and upon all occasions will recognize and allow the constitutional privileges.

I am also commanded to assure you that the Assembly shall have ready access to His Honour upon all suitable occasions and that their proceedings, as well as your words and actions, will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to open the Session with the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

The approaching visit of Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, to this Assembly will make the present Session the most historic since the Ontario Legislature was constituted in 1867, and I am particularly happy, therefore, on this occasion, in welcoming you to your legislative duties.

As this will be the first time a British King and Queen have been in North America, and the visit will be the first paid by a reigning Sovereign to any of the self-governing Dominions, it is deeply gratifying that this Assembly will have the high privilege of expressing to His Majesty in person the loyalty and devotion we all share.

Since the last Session, the Minister of Labour, Mr. MacBride, and the member for Parkdale, Mr. McBrien, have passed away, and I join with you in paying tribute to their memory. The vacancy in the Cabinet has been filled by the appointment of the former Speaker of this House, Mr. Hipel, and to him I extend my congratulations.

I should also like to offer my congratulations to Major Clark, K.C., whom you have just elected as your new Speaker. Major Clark has had a distinguished

War record, and his practice of law both here and before the Privy Council in England will fit him admirably for the occupancy of the Speaker's chair.

I should also like to take this opportunity of extending my good wishes to Colonel Drew who, as the new leader of His Majesty's Loyal Opposition, has an important role to fill in the deliberations of this Assembly. I am also glad to welcome two other members, Mr. Hagey, of Brantford, who will now become the youngest member of the House, and Mr. Stewart, C.B.E., of Parkdale, who has rendered signal public service in the administration of this capital City of Toronto.

Although indications early in 1938 pointed to an improvement in business throughout the Province, this condition unfortunately did not continue. During the year there was expended in Ontario for Unemployment Relief approximately \$22,000,000; and unless there is a marked industrial improvement, this sum is likely to be exceeded in 1939. The Provincial Government assumed a greater proportion of this burden, amounting to 45% of the gross costs, and, in all but a few cases, the municipalities met their share of direct aid through tax levies and without recourse to the issuance of debentures which merely leaves until the future the payment of to-day's needs.

Plans have recently been formulated for a very limited experimental farm rehabilitation programme designed to assist families now receiving aid. Care is being taken to ensure that only those families best adapted to such a plan will be included.

Despite these increased burdens, the credit of the Province continues to stand at the high level it has enjoyed during recent years, and its bonds are now selling at the highest point in its history. It is perhaps not without significance that during the crisis of last September, Ontario bonds held their position better than the senior securities of any other public authority.

The finances of the municipalities of the Province have also continued to improve. Of the \$104,000,000 in default in Ontario at the time the Government took office, \$58,000,000 has now been refunded, and there are plans awaiting approval for an additional \$19,000,000.

The gross municipal debt at the end of 1933 amounted to \$494,400,000 and at the end of 1937 to \$425,700,000, a reduction of over \$68,000,000. In addition, the amount levied in 1933 for municipal purposes throughout Ontario was \$120,400,000, which was reduced at the end of 1937, to \$116,500,000.

This radical improvement during a period of economic distress is due in large measure to the policies of the Government in relieving the municipalities of all payments towards Provincial highways, Mother's Allowances, Old Age Pensions, and indigent patients in Sanatoria, together with a Provincial subsidy of one mill and increased aid to Township roads. A reduction in municipal interest rates last year of more than two per cent in many municipalities, as compared with the year 1933-34, is a direct result of this improvement and reflects the confidence of the investing public in the effective control of municipal borrowing exercised by the Ontario Municipal Board.

Establishment of schools for the instruction of municipal officials each year at London, Toronto, and Kingston has helped to raise the standards of municipal administration, and next year it is proposed to publish a manual of standard accounting for townships and villages.

A new method for equalizing assessments will be presented to you for approval and also an amendment to the Municipal Act requiring all elected officials of municipal councils to take the Oath of Allegiance.

The necessity for some form of Unemployment Insurance has been forcibly demonstrated during recent years, and my Ministers welcome the proposal of the Dominion Government to enact legislation dealing with this question. In order that there shall be no delay so far as Ontario is concerned, a Bill will be presented to you empowering the Government to enter into any necessary arrangements to place the scheme in effective operation at the earliest possible moment.

With livestock prices continuing good and excellent crops, Ontario's farm income for the year was well maintained, demonstrating the stability of our mixed farming. The demand from Great Britain and the United States for good dairy cows increased and should provide a definite outlet for some years to come, while the demand for Ontario cheese could only be partially filled.

I am glad to note that farmers generally throughout the Province are taking a keener interest in organized marketing, which is so necessary under modern conditions. The campaign against the weed menace continued, and the Government has developed and patented two new commercial weedkillers for use this spring.

In order to create a greater interest in the production of field crops, the Ontario Field Crop Improvement Association has been formed, and around it will be created County Field Crop and Seed Growers Associations, several of which are already in existence. The demand for agricultural information is steadily growing, and there has been a considerable increase in the attendance at short courses and lectures.

During the past year, definite progress has been made in the revision of the courses of study in the Secondary Schools, to provide a type of training which will enable our young people to adjust themselves more readily to the life of their communities. The Government derives much satisfaction from the knowledge that it has been able to contribute a Million Dollars more to the support of Schools throughout the Province than was possible a year ago.

The conciliation service rendered by the Department of Labour has resulted in a decided reduction of losses due to strikes, while the Youth Training Programme, in which various Departments co-operate, has trained 4,500 boys and girls for useful occupations, and placed 2,600 of them in employment.

Pensions for the blind have now been in operation for a year, and there are at present over 1,100 recipients. The Old Age Pension list has grown to over 60,000; while 12,000 mothers and 26,000 children benefit under the Mothers' Allowances Act.

The Department of Game and Fisheries has experienced another very active and entirely satisfactory year. Through the Department of Public Works, over \$150,000 has been expended in extending the facilities for hatching and rearing game fish. An extensive construction programme of ponds and hatcheries is nearing completion at Sandfield on Manitoulin Island, at Skeleton Lake in Muskoka, at Deer Lake in Peterborough County, and at Charlton in Temiskaming District, and the plants at Chatsworth, Dorion and other points have been greatly increased.

Ontario now has much greater facilities of this kind than the remainder of Canada combined, and is rapidly becoming equipped to meet the demands not only of our own citizens but of an ever increasing tourist trade attracted here by our unequalled angling and shooting.

The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act passed last Session made possible the discharge of a large number of patients for whom after-care and pneumothorax treatment was arranged, enabling several hundred more persons to be admitted for early treatment.

A Commission was also appointed to investigate cancer remedies, with the object of making available those found to be of value, and at the same time protecting sufferers from exploitation.

At the present time, the new mental Hospital at St. Thomas is being staffed, and patients from Institutions which are over-crowded will shortly be transferred there.

Consideration is also being given to a revision of the procedure governing the admission of patients to public and private mental Hospitals and their subsequent treatment and detention.

It is gratifying to note that although the Department of Highways issued eight per cent. more Permits and Licenses last year, deaths due to motor vehicle accidents were seventeen per cent. fewer, and property damage thirty per cent. lower. During the last ten years, registrations have doubled and to meet this heavy increase in traffic, a considerable mileage of divided highways has been graded and is approaching completion in Southern Ontario. In the northern part of the Province, more than four hundred miles have been graded to the highest standard and over one hundred miles of pavement have been laid.

The Liquor Control Board revised its regulations during the year to provide more effective administration of the Act, and close and systematic inspection of all licensed premises was continued. The Board waived exemption from business assessment and taxes throughout the Province, thus aiding municipal finances, and in addition, three hundred municipalities benefited by the distribution of nearly \$200,000.00, representing a percentage of their local authority fees.

There will be placed before you a resolution requesting the Dominion Parliament to repeal the Canada Temperance Act, as it applies to the Province of Ontario.

During recent months, the policing of the Province has been given considerable study. The Provincial Force has reached a high state of efficiency, and in all but two counties has now taken over the duties of High County Constable, but there is a great lack of co-ordination and of uniformity in municipal policing. Legislation aimed at remedying this condition to some extent will be placed before you for consideration.

The reference made to the Supreme Court of Canada last year with respect to social legislation, designed to safeguard the interests of women and children, resulted in the right of the Province to enact such legislation and to appoint the officials necessary for its enforcement being upheld.

A survey of the entire field of the Administration of Justice, with a view to simplifying and facilitating procedure, and effecting economies, has been instituted and is expected to be completed in the course of the next few months.

Special attention has been given to the necessity of securing adequate and uniform sentences in serious offences. The Attorney-General's Department has reviewed many cases, and has entered appeals where the sentences seemed inadequate, with salutary results.

The mining industry of the Province continued to show satisfactory progress. The production of gold made a new record, its value amounting to over 101 Millions of Dollars, which represents an increase of 11 per cent. over the previous year. Several new mines came into production during the year, and there are now fifty-six gold mills operating continuously. Due to this expansion in operations, there has been a marked increase in the number of men employed in the gold mines.

You will be asked to consider certain amendments to the Mining Act, with the object of helping prospectors, promoting the health and safety of employees at the mines, and providing for new regulations to assist in the prevention of high-grading of gold and other precious metals.

Legislation designed to give a certain measure of financial relief to the mining municipalities of Northern Ontario will also be submitted to you.

Continued development of the mining industry in Ontario was responsible for an increase of 26 per cent. in the primary load of the Northern Ontario Properties, which are held and operated by The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario on behalf of the Province.

Reduction of the farm service charge from \$2.00 to \$1.00 per month continued to have its effect, and rural primary lines approved for construction during the year reached 2,660 miles, to serve 14,000 additional customers, an all-time record. At present, there are approximately 15,800 miles of rural line serving about 100,000 customers distributed among nearly five hundred municipalities.

The winter primary peak load as supplied to the co-operating municipalities of the Niagara system this year was 6.2 per cent. higher than that of the previous winter, but due to a lower demand for power by the large electro-chemical and electro-metallurgical industries in the Niagara Falls district, the winter peak of

the total Niagara system primary load was only three per cent. greater. Primary peak loads on the other co-operative systems increased from five to eight per cent.

By the completion of a storage reservoir on Frederick House and Nighthawk lakes at the head waters of the Abitibi river, the dependable capacity of the Abitibi canyon generating station in Northern Ontario was increased by 40,000 horsepower.

Traffic on the T. & N. O. Railway has declined somewhat, particularly in the movement of pulp and paper from the Iroquois Falls Mill, which is running considerably below capacity, due to the lower demand for newsprint from the United States, and net earnings for the current year will, therefore, be lower than last year although there will be a considerable surplus over operating expenses.

In addition to the legislation already mentioned, Amendments to the Corporations Tax Act, Highway Traffic Act, Training Schools Act, Industrial Schools Act, The Coroner's Act, The Law Society Act, The Mortgages Act, The Game and Fisheries Act, The Tile Drainage Act, and to various other Statutes will also be introduced.

The Public Accounts for the year ending March 31st, 1938, have been published and estimates for the coming fiscal year will shortly be presented to you.

In conclusion, I trust that Divine Providence will guide your deliberations to the promotion of the public welfare.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker then reported,

That he had obtained a copy of His Honour's Speech which, to prevent mistakes, he then read.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had laid upon the Table:—

A Return from the Records of the By-Elections to the Legislative Assembly held in the Electoral Districts of Hamilton Centre on the 23rd day of February and the 2nd day of March; Lambton East, on the 15th and 22nd days of March; Brantford, on the 13th and 20th days of July; Waterloo South, on the 28th day of September; Parkdale, on the 28th day of September and the 5th day of October, 1938; and Simcoe East, on the 14th day of February, 1939, showing: 1. The number of votes polled for each candidate in each Electoral District in which there was a contest. 2. The majority whereby each successful candidate was returned. 3. The total number of votes polled. 4. The number of votes remain-

ing unpolled. 5. The number of names on the polling lists. 6. The number of ballot papers sent out to each polling place. 7. The used ballot papers. 8. The unused ballot papers. 9. The rejected ballot papers. 10. The cancelled ballot papers. 11. The declined ballot papers. 12. The ballot papers taken from polling places. 13. Total number of printed ballots not distributed to D.R.O.'s. 14. Total number of ballot papers printed. 15. A general summary of votes cast in each Electoral District.

(Sessional Papers No. 25)

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 26), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mining Act." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor be taken into consideration To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Select Standing Committees of this House, for the present Session, be appointed for the following purposes: 1. On Privileges and Elections; 2. On Railways; 3. On Miscellaneous Private Bills; 4. On Standing Orders; 5. On Public Accounts; 6. On Printing; 7. On Municipal Law; 8. On Legal Bills; 9. On Agriculture; 10. On Fish and Game; 11. On Labour.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the House, and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, with power to send for persons, papers and records.

Mr. Nixon (Brant) presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Public Accounts of the Province of Ontario for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Paper No. 1.*)

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province be referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

The House then adjourned at 3.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—Motion for an Address to their Majesties, the King and Queen, on the occasion of their visit to this Legislature.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—Select Committee to strike the Standing Committees ordered by this House; also, Select Committee to assist Mr. Speaker in the care of the Library; also, Select Committee to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the estimates for Art purposes.

Mr. Kirby—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Cemetery Act; also, an Act to amend The Pharmacy Act; also, an Act to amend The Public Health Act; also, an Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act; also, an Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Mr. Cross—On Friday next—An Act to confirm Tax Sales; also, an Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939; also, an Act to amend The Coroners' Act; also, an Act to amend The Registry Act.

Mr. Hipel—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act; also, an Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act.

Mr. Dewan—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act; also, The Agricultural Societies Act, 1939.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'Clock P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Acres, the Petition of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Nepean.

By Mr. Campbell (Kent East), the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Chatham.

By Mr. Anderson, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Niagara Falls.

By Mr. Guthrie, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Sarnia.

By Mr. Cox, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur.

By My Smith, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Waterloo.

By Mr. MacGillivray, the Petition of the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

By Mr. Blakelock, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Trafalgar.

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

By Mr. Bethune, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Barton.

By Mr. Armstrong, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Trout Creek.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 27), intituled, "The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939."
Mr. Conant.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 28), intituled, "An Act to amend The Registry Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 29), intituled, "An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act." *Mr. Hipel.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 30), intituled, "An Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act." *Mr. Hipel.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 31), intituled, "An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 32), intituled, "An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 33), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 34), intituled, "An Act to amend The Cemetery Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of The Honourable The Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Hagey moved, seconded by Mr. Cooper,

That an humble Address be presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

To The Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Ontario Historical Society for the year 1937-1938.
(*Sessional Papers No. 38.*)

Also, Comparative Statement of the Legislative grants apportioned to the Rural, Public and Separate Schools in the Counties and Districts for the years 1937-1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 39.*)

Also, Report of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto for the year ending June 30th, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 12.*)

Also, Annual Report upon the Prisons and Reformatories of the Province of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 18.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—Resolution—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

Mr. McQuesten—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act; also, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act; also, an Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act; also, an Act to amend The Judicature Act.

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 10TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Nepean, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the erection of the Township into a fire area, to provide for the payment of firemen and the purchase of apparatus.

Of the Corporation of the City of Chatham praying that an Act may pass authorizing the petitioners to raise \$50,000.00 by an issue of debentures and to loan the money to a Company for the erection of an arena.

Of the Corporation of the City of Niagara Falls, praying that an Act may pass to validate an agreement for a fixed assessment of \$240,000.00 on the property of the Niagara Lower Arch Bridge.

Of the Corporation of the City of Sarnia, praying that an Act may pass authorizing an issue of debentures of \$75,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a civic auditorium.

Of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the raising of \$25,000.00 by means of a debenture issue and the loan of the money to the Port Arthur Arena Company.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Waterloo, praying that an Act may pass authorizing a debenture issue of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a Municipal arena.

Of the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria, praying that an Act may pass to clarify the powers of the petitioners in regard to borrowing money and dealing in real estate.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Trafalgar, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the constitution of a Water Commission and the establishment of water areas.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement regarding the operation of the Toronto Airport, to validate tax sales and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Barton praying that an Act may pass authorizing the establishment of water and sewer areas and the construction of the necessary works to serve the same.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Trout Creek praying that an Act may pass placing the Town in the position of a Township under the terms of the Power Commission Act.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee of nine members be appointed to prepare and report, with all convenient dispatch, lists of the members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Freeborn (Chairman), *Campbell* (Kent East), *Carr*, *Glass*, *Henry*, *Kidd*, *Nixon* (Brant), *Oliver* and *Strachan*.

The quorum of the said Committee to consist of three members.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant):

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to act with Mr. Speaker in the control and management of the Library, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Armstrong (Chairman), *Arnott*, *Baird*, *Belanger*, *Duncan*, *Henry*, *King*, *Leduc* and *Robertson*.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart by the Estimates for Art Purposes, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Hunter (Chairman), *Belanger*, *Black*, *Kelly*, *Kidd*, *McQuesten*, *Murray*, *Oliver* and *Patterson*.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 35), intituled, “An Act to amend The Coroners’ Act.” *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 36), intituled, “An Act respecting Agricultural Societies. *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 37), intituled, “An Act to confirm Tax Sales.” *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Drew,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, King George the Sixth, and His Queen, Elizabeth, on the occasion of their visit to this Legislative Chamber on May 22nd, Instant, the said Address to be engrossed and to be presented to His Majesty by the Honourable the Prime Minister on the occasion mentioned, such Address to be couched in the following terms:—

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,
Most Gracious Sovereign.*

We, Your Majesty’s loyal and dutiful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to approach Your Majesty with feelings of most profound devotion and respect, to join with all Your Majesty’s Subjects in Your Dominion of Canada in extending to You and to Your Gracious Consort, our Queen, Elizabeth, a joyful welcome on this, the first occasion on which our Empire’s Sovereign has visited His Loyal Canadian People. This happy occasion will ever live in the memory of the people of Your Province of Ontario, and Your Majesty’s gracious act in thus personally visiting Your Ontario Subjects will meet with a response in their hearts, and in their actions, which will go far in preserving and cementing those ties of Empire which are so vital to the preservation of World Peace during the troubled period through which the nations of the World are passing.

Ascending the Throne at a time of crisis which called for the exercise of statesmanship of the highest quality and the united support of all parts of the Empire, Your Majesty’s strong and wise leadership and Your constant consideration for the well-being of Your people have confirmed and strengthened the joy with which Your Coronation was greeted by all Your Dominions, and the sincere love which was inspired in the hearts of His subjects by Your Gracious Father of blessed memory has been transferred to You in fullest measure. It is gratifying to all British Subjects to realize that our Empire is still regarded as the bulwark of freedom and the hope of civilization, and we are confident that under Your

Majesty's wise and gracious leadership, our Statesmen will so continue to conduct the affairs of government that the Empire's proud position in World affairs will be maintained and strengthened, and the nations of the World directed along the paths of peace.

To Your Gracious Consort, Our Queen, Elizabeth, we also beg leave to present the devotion of this Assembly and of the people of Ontario whom we represent. The qualities displayed by Her Majesty in the discharge of the many tasks which devolve upon Her have awakened in Your People feelings of profound admiration and respect and our hope is that She may long be spared to be Your helpmate and inspiration in the performance of the onerous duties of the high office to which You have been called.

We would also humbly request that Your Majesty will convey the respectful and affectionate greeting of the people of Ontario to Your daughters the Princess Elizabeth and the Princess Margaret Rose, who have captured the hearts of Your people throughout the Empire.

In conclusion may we again express our deep gratitude for Your Majesty's gracious act in visiting the Province of Ontario, of which we are so proud, and assure You that the people of Ontario are and will be, as they have always been, proud to be a portion of the great Empire over which You reign, loyal in word and in deed to Your Person and to the Crown.

"God Save Our King" is ever the prayer on the lips and in the hearts of Your Majesties' most loyal subjects of the Province of Ontario.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Clerk be authorized to have the Address suitably engrossed in preparation for its presentation.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Distribution of the Sessional Statutes of Ontario, 1938, from April 1st, 1938, to February 20th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 30.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act; also, an Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act; also, an Act to amend The Private Sanatoria Act; also, an Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Mr. Dewan—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Trottier, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Sandwich West.

By Mr. Duncan, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of London.

By Mr. Arnott, the Petition of the Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

By Mr. Gardhouse, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Etobicoke.

Mr. Freeborn from the Select Committee appointed to Strike the Standing Committees of the House presented their first report which was read as follows, and adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Standing Committee on Standing Orders be composed as follows:—

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Baker, Belanger, Black, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Guthrie, Habel, Henry, Houck, Kidd, King, Lamport, Leduc, Macfie, MacGillivray, MacKay, Miller, Murray, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Robertson, Sinclair, Strachan and Welsh—41.

The quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Mr. Patterson be appointed ^{as} Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for the present session.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 38, intituled, "An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act." *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 39), intituled, "An Act to amend The Judicature Act." *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 40), intituled, "An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act." *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 41), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Health Act." *Mr. Kirby*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Royal Commission on Transportation, Ontario, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 41.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission for the year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 23.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Athletic Commission Act.

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That there be tabled in this House all contracts, telegrams, correspondence, and memoranda relating to the rights, and reorganization of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited since January 1st, 1937.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 14th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

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MONDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1939

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 14TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:

Of the Corporation of the Township of Sandwich West, praying that an Act may pass to authorize the Township to levy a minimum tax on unimproved subdivision lots and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the closing of a certain street, validating tax sales and for other purposes.

Of the Women's Christian Association of Belleville, praying that an Act may pass giving the Petitioners authority to borrow money.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Etobicoke, praying that an Act may pass conferring on the Township the authority of a City in respect to making assessments and collecting taxes, to provide for the payment of Councillors and for other purposes.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices as published in each case sufficient:

Of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Nepean, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the erection of the Township into a Fire Area, to provide for the payment of firemen and the purchase of apparatus.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Waterloo, praying that an Act may pass authorizing a debenture issue of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a Municipal Arena.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Trafalgar, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the constitution of a Water Commission and the establishment of water areas.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement regarding the operation of the Toronto Airport, to validate tax sales and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Barton, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the establishment of water and sewer areas and the construction of the necessary works to serve the same.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 1), intituled "An Act respecting the Township of Nepean." *Mr. Acres.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo." *Mr. Smith.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Welsh,

THAT the Motion now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following words:

But this House regrets that the Speech from the Throne contains no statement concerning the past failure or future intention of the Premier of Ontario to confer with the Prime Minister of Canada for the purpose of considering joint action to increase employment and reduce the cost of Government.

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Lamport,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until Thursday next.

The House then adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Heenan—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Private Bills Committee on or after Monday the 20th day of March next.

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Nepean."

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo."

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Baker, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of King.

By Mr. Hunter, the Petition of The Crescent School.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 42), intituled, "An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 43), intituled, "An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 44), intituled, "An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 45), intituled, "The Athletic Commission Act, 1939." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Macaulay,

That there be tabled in this House all contracts, telegrams, correspondence, and memoranda relating to the rights, and reorganization of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited since January 1st, 1937; and a debate having arisen after some time, the motion having been put, was carried, and it was

Ordered, That there be tabled in this House all contracts, telegrams, correspondence, and memoranda relating to the rights, and reorganization of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited since January 1st, 1937.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act having been read, and a Debate arising, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Duckworth,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Department of Labour of the Province of Ontario for fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 10.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Insurance Act; also, an Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service.

Mr. Macfie—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 16TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Belanger, the Petition of L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Township of King, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Township to assess for taxation purposes certain lands in the Holland Marsh District.

Of The Crescent School, praying that an Act may pass to repeal Section 3 of the Act respecting the Township of York, 1937, and exempt the School from taxation.

Mr. Freeborn, from the Select Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committee of the House, presented their second and final report which was read as follows, and adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Standing Committees of the House, as listed hereunder, be composed as follows:—

COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Armstrong, Baird, Baker, Belanger, Black, Brownridge, Carr, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Drew, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Glass, Gordon, Hagey, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Hunter, Kidd, King, Kirby, Macaulay, Murphy, Murray, McQuesten, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Roebuck, Simpson, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh—45.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON RAILWAYS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Baird, Baker, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Conacher, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Gallagher, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Hunter, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Macaulay, Macfie, Mercer, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baird, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Belanger, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Hunter, Kelly, Kennedy, Kidd, King, Kirby, Lamport, Leduc, Macaulay, Macfie, Mackay, Miller, Murphy, Murray, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Roebuck, Sinclair, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—70.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baird, Baker, Ballantyne, Belanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Lamport, Leduc, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mackay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Roebuck, Simpson, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh—68.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Bégin, Belanger, Campbell (Kent East), Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Croome, Downer, Dunbar, Duncan, Fairbank, Gallagher, Guthrie, Henry, Hunter, Kidd, King, Kirby, Leduc, Murphy, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Simpson, Strachan—28.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Baird, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gallagher, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kidd, King, Kirby, Lamport, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mackay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Oliver, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier—60.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Baird, Bethune, Bradley, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Drew, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Frost, Gordon, Glass, Hagey, Henry, Kidd, Kirby, Leduc, Macaulay, McQuesten, Newlands, Roebuck, Stewart, Strachan—29.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Duncan, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Guthrie, Habel, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward Lennox), Houck, Hunter, Kennedy, Kidd, King, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON FISH AND GAME

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Belanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Gordon, Guthrie, Habel, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hunter, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Lamport, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—61.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Baird, Bethune, Conacher, Conant, Cox, Croll, Croome, Cross, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Gallagher, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Guthrie, Hagey, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Hunter, Kidd, King, Kirby, Lamport, Mackay, Murphy, Murray, Roebuck, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier—36.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Habel,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Civil Service Commissioner of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 37.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Public Service Superannuation Board, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 36.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Croll—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Marriage Act.

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

Mr. Kidd—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been received from the Federal Government for the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 2. What amount was spent by the Province of Ontario for the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 3. How many were trained under this plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date.

Mr. Kidd—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the purchase price of the old Government House property at the corner of King and Simcoe Streets, Toronto, Ontario. 2. To whom was it sold. 3. What date was it sold. 4. What was the total amount realized from the sale of the old Government House property. 5. What was paid for the site of Chorley Park. 6. What was the cost of construction of buildings on Chorley Park site. 7. What has been the total capital expenditure on Chorley Park property, including site, buildings and furnishings, to date. 8. Has Chorley Park been disposed of; (a) If so, to whom. 9. What amount was realized out of the sale of house furnishings at Chorley Park.

Mr. Kidd—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is

the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930?

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass authorizing an extension of the activities of the Institute and exempting its property from taxation.

Of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the formation of a Board of Trustees for the purpose of holding the Church property.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto." *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Commissioners of Estates Bills.

Bill (No. 46), intituled, "An Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 47), intituled, "An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act." *Mr. Heenan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act, having been read, the Debate was resumed and, after some time, the Motion having been put was carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 45), The Athletic Commission Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 20.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.05 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Nixon (Brant)—On Tuesday next—The Training Schools Act, 1939.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up and laid upon the Table:

By Mr. Dunbar, the Petition of the Rideau Club of Ottawa.

Mr. Hipel, from the Select Committee appointed to consider a revision of the Rules of the House prepared by the Clerk, presented their report, which was read and received as follows:—

The Select Committee composed of Messrs. Clark, Henry and Hipel, which was appointed during the 1938 Session of this House with power to sit during the Recess for the purpose of considering a proposed revision of the Rules of the House which had been prepared by the Clerk, beg leave to present their report, as follows:—

Your Committee held several meetings and very carefully considered the Rules and the proposed revision with the result that certain additional alterations were made by unanimous vote of the Committee in addition to the amendments submitted by the Clerk. Your Committee feels that the Rules as now submitted to the House will facilitate the conduct of the business of this Assembly.

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the Revised edition of the Rules which is attached to this Report, and that, if so adopted, the new Rules become effective on the First Day of May, 1939.

It is also recommended that the Rules as adopted be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the present Session of the House, and that the Clerk of the

Assembly be authorized to have them published in book form for distribution, and that a copy of such book be mailed to each Member of the Assembly.

On motion by Mr. Hipel, seconded by Mr. Cross,

Ordered, That the report of the Committee be placed on the Order Paper for consideration on a future day.

Mr. Hunter moved, seconded by Mr. Strachan,

That in the opinion of this House the Government of Ontario should take cognizance of the fact that the present international crisis in Europe calls for immediate action on the part of the component parts of the British Empire in support of any action which it may be necessary for the Imperial Government to take.

And that this House hereby requests the Government to introduce a Bill at the earliest possible moment for the purpose of conscripting the property and civil rights of every individual in Ontario to the defence of our free institutions.

And that a copy of such Bill and of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Canada.

And a debate having arisen, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar." *Mr. Blakelock.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 48), intituled, "An Act to amend The Law Society Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 49), intituled, "An Act to amend The Insurance Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, that the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 32), An

Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 45), The Athletic Commission Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker

resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. MacGillivray—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Optometry Act.

Mr. Challies—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association by the Producers each year since its organization. 2. What was the total amount paid by the Producer to the Cheese Producers' Association each year since its organization in (a) Grenville County; (b) Dundas County.

NOTICE.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 21st, at 10.30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM.

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bill will be considered by the Standing Committee on Private Bills on or after Saturday, the 25th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar."

No. 9

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Henry, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Leaside.

By Mr. Cox, the Petition of the Corporations of the cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

By Mr. Belanger, the Petition of Aurelien Belanger.

By Mr. Dunbar, the Petition of J. E. Stanley Lewis, E. A. Bourque, Aristide Belander, W. Elwood MacDonald and G. Percy Gordon.

The following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Rideau Club of Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the petitioners to borrow, on mortgage security, the sum of \$170,000.00.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act.

Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act.

Bill (No. 45), The Athletic Commission Act, 1939.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Kelly,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until Thursday next.

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 3):—

1. What was the purchase price of the old Government House property at the corner of King and Simcoe Streets, Toronto, Ontario. 2. To whom was it sold. 3. What date was it sold. 4. What was the total amount realized from the sale of the old Government House property. 5. What was paid for the site of Chorley Park. 6. What was the cost of construction of buildings on Chorley Park site. 7. What has been the total capital expenditure on Chorley Park property, including site, buildings and furnishings, to date. 8. Has Chorley Park been disposed of; (a) If so, to whom. 9. What amount was realized out of the sale of house furnishings at Chorley Park.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:

1. Transferred at the time of Confederation without consideration. 2. Canadian Pacific Railway Company. 3. 1910. 4. \$800,000.00. 5. \$153,653.22. 6. \$895,008.13. 7. \$1,122,189.97. 8. (a) Yes. (b) Sick Children's Hospital. 9. \$18,605.40. Only portion of furnishings sold, as greater amount retained for Lieutenant-Governor's suite and for other Government use.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Provincial Auditor, Ontario, 1937-38. (*Sessional Papers No. 27.*)

Also, Report of the Royal Commission on the operation of the Mental Hospitals Act, December, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 42.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Companies Act; also, An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers' Act; also, An Act to amend The Mortgages Act; also, The Collection Agencies Act, 1939; also, An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

Mr. Macaulay—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms

of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

Mr. Macaulay—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many licensees holding licenses from the Crown to cut sawlogs, ties, pulpwood or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have surrendered their licenses or rights to cut, either entire or in part, upon the licensed areas or parts of licensed areas since January 1st, 1935. 2. How many licenses issued to operators to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon

the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

Mr. Macaulay—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What is the total quantity of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive, for which permits to export same were granted; (b) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Orders-in-Council of March 23rd, 1935, and July 25th, 1935; (c) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Forest Resources Regulation Act of 1936 and in what manner does that Act authorize the Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered

to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

Mr. Macaulay—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order in Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order in Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-

35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Thursday, March 23rd, at 10.30 a.m., for organization.

No. 10

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Town of Leaside, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the division of the Town into four wards and to fix the number of the Town Council at seven.

Of the Corporations of the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William, praying that an Act may pass authorizing each of the said Corporations to make a grant or loan of \$5,000.00 to the Canadian Lakehead Exhibition.

Of Aurelien Belanger, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit the petitioner to the practice of Law in Ontario.

Of J. E. Stanley Lewis, E. A. Bourque, Aristide Belanger, W. Elwood MacDonald and G. Percy Gordon, praying that an Act may pass for the purpose of incorporating the "City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund."

Mr. Glass from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the Corporation of the City of Chatham, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Petitioners to raise \$50,000.00 by an issue of debentures and to loan the money to a Company for the erection of an Arena.

Of the Corporation of the City of Niagara Falls, praying that an Act may pass to validate an agreement for a fixed assessment of \$240,000.00 on the property of the Niagara Lower Arch Bridge.

Of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the raising of \$25,000.00 by means of a debenture issue and the loan of the money to the Port Arthur Arena Company.

Of L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass authorizing an extension of the activities of the Institute and exempting the property from taxation.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Trout Creek, praying that an Act may pass placing the Town in the position of a Township under the terms of the Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Township of King, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Township to assess for taxation purposes certain lands in the Holland Marsh District.

In regard to the Petition of the Crescent School your Committee finds that the notice has been published the required number of times in the Ontario Gazette, but that there has been no publication in a newspaper in or adjacent to the Municipality in which the School is located.

The only interested party in addition to the applicants is the Corporation of the Township of East York and the applicants claim, and their claim has been substantiated by the Clerk of the Assembly, that the Corporation has received, in good time, written notice of the petitioners' application.

The Solicitor for the Corporation has advised the Clerk that he will attend before the Committee on Private Bills when the Bill is called for consideration.

Under the circumstances your Committee recognizes the notice given as sufficient and hereby report the Petition.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Chatham." *Mr. Campbell* (Kent East).

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur." *Mr. Cox*.

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa." *Mr. Belanger.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek." *Mr. Armstrong.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 21), intituled, "An Act respecting The Crescent School." *Mr. Hunter.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Barton." *Mr. Bethune.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 50), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr. Macfie.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 51), intituled, "An Act to amend The Optometry Act." *Mr. MacGillivray.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 52), intituled, "The Training Schools Act, 1939." *Mr. Nixon* (Brant).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies.

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

Grades

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Farm Products and Sales Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Glass,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of F. H. Barlow, K.C., Commissioner on Homewood Sanitarium, Guelph. (*Sessional Papers No. 43.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Houck—On Friday next—The Guelph Railway Act, 1939.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in No. 2 Committee Room to-morrow (Thursday), March 23rd, at 10.30 a.m. for organization.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Private Bills on or after Monday, the 27th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Chatham."

Bill (No. 4), intituled, "An Act respecting the Niagara Lower Arch Bridge Company Limited."

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur."

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act respecting L'Institut Canadian Français de la Cité d'Ottawa."

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek."

Bill (No. 21), intituled, "An Act respecting The Crescent School."

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Barton."

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 53), intituled, "An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 2):—

1. What amount has been received from the Federal Government for the Dominion Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 2. What amount was spent by the Province of Ontario for the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 3. How many were trained under this plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) \$73,352.04; (b) Received after March 31st, 1938, \$36,983.47; Total, 1937-38 Agreement, \$110,335.51; To February 28th, 1939, \$39,525.79. 2. (a) \$225,301.96; (b) To February 28th, 1939, \$119,383.25. 3. (a) 2,934; (b) To February 28th, 1939, 1,534.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That in the opinion of this House the Government of Ontario should take cognizance of the fact that the present international crisis in Europe calls for immediate action on the part of the component parts of the British Empire in support of any action which it may be necessary for the Imperial Government to take, and that this House hereby requests the Government to introduce a Bill at the earliest possible moment for the purpose of conscripting the property and civil rights of every individual in Ontario to the defence of our free institutions, and that a copy of such Bill and of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Canada, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time, Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant), That the Motion now before the House be amended to read as follows:—

“Resolved: That in the opinion of this House the Government of Ontario should take cognizance of the fact that the present international crisis in Europe calls for immediate action on the part of the component parts of the British Empire in support of any action which it may be necessary for the Imperial Government to take.

“And that this Legislative Assembly of Ontario hereby petitions the Federal Parliament of Canada now in Session to immediately pass Legislation providing that in the event of a War emergency the wealth and man power of Canada shall be mobilized by proclamation of the Governor-in-Council, for the duration of the War, in defence of our free institutions.

“And that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Canada.”

And a Debate having arisen, after some time, the Motion as amended was carried on a recorded vote as follows:—

YEAS

Acres	Downer	Kidd
Anderson	Drew	King
Arnott	Duckworth	Kirby
Baird	Dunbar	Lamport
Baker	Duncan	Leduc
Ballantyne	Elgie	Macaulay
Bégin	Elliott	MacGillivray
Belanger	Fairbank	MacKay
Bethune	Fletcher	Mercer
Blakelock	Freeborn	Miller
Bradley	Frost	Murphy
Brownridge	Gallagher	McEwing
Campbell	Gardhouse	Newland
(Sault Ste. Marie)	Glass	Nixon
Campbell	Gordon	(Brant)
(Kent, East)	Guthrie	Nixon
Carr	Habel	(Temiskaming)
Challies	Hagey	Patterson
Cholette	Heenan	Reynolds
Conacher	Henry	Robertson
Conant	Hepburn	Roebuck
Cooper	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Sinclair
Cox	Hepburn	Smith
Croll	(Elgin)	Stewart
Croome	Hipel	Strachan
Dewan	Hunter	Summerville
Dickson	Kelly	Trottier
Doucett	Kennedy	Welsh—78.

NAYS—0

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Belanger,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Leduc—On Monday next—The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939; also, The Corporations Tax Act, 1939; also, The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939.

Mr. Lamport—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Assessment Act; also, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Mr. Strachan—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Conacher—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Factory, Shop and Office Building Act.

Mr. Leduc—On Monday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

This House approves of the terms of An Act intituled, "The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every person owning or operating or using a race track, and holding a race meeting, and every holder of a winning ticket issued under the pari-mutuel system upon a race track at a race meeting, shall pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario, the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

Mr. Leduc—On Monday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Corporations Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every company, including every bank, extra provincial company, insurance company and other incorporated company having its head office, or other office, in Ontario, or which holds assets in Ontario, or which transacts business in Ontario, shall for every fiscal year of such company pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

Mr. Leduc—On Monday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:

This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939," as presented to this House, which Act provides that there be imposed, levied, collected and paid to His Majesty for the use of Ontario a tax

- (a) upon every change of ownership consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment of a security made or carried into effect in Ontario;
- (b) upon every order given in Ontario for the sale, transfer or assignment of a security when such order is to be executed outside of Ontario;

- (c) upon every transfer or delivery of a security exchanged for another security in Ontario provided that this clause shall not apply where the exchange of securities issued by one company is made for other securities issued by the same company to the same holder; and
- (d) upon every delivery in Ontario of a security held in Ontario for the account of a non-resident of Canada consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment executed within or without Ontario by or for such non-resident;

of the amount, at the time and in the manner provided by the said Act.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount received by the Government from Annual Returns under the Companies Information Act for the years 1935 to 1938 inclusive. 2. Returns showing amount paid to the Treasury Department under The Corporations Tax Act for ordinary incorporated Companies. Classify, if possible, for the years 1933 to 1938 inclusive.

No. 12

THURSDAY, MARCH 23RD, 1939

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Mr Conant moved, seconded by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

And a debate having arisen, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned until Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of The Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario for year 1938.
(*Sessional Papers No. 28.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.55 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Limitations Act.

Mr. Kirby—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.

Mr. Oliver—On Monday next—Resolution—That in view of the fact that the wheat growers of Ontario have practically lost access to the export market for wheat owing to the preferential rates accorded to Western Canada and United States wheat shipped ex-lake in carload lots as compared with the carload rates on Ontario wheat, namely, approximately 10.34c. per cwt. and 7.08c. per cwt. on Western wheat as compared with 20c. per cwt. on Ontario wheat and as a result a large portion of Ontario wheat crop has to be used for feed and many flour mills in this Province have been forced to discontinue operations, it is the opinion of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario that Ontario wheat, wheat flour and wheat products shipped for export should be accorded freight rates similar to those accorded Western Canada and United States wheat, wheat flour and wheat products moving by rail from Bay ports through Ontario for export, and that this resolution be transmitted to the Transport Board of Canada now considering such an application from Ontario farmers and millers.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Wednesday and Thursday, March 29th and 30th next, at 10.00 a.m.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Lamport, seconded by Mr. Fletcher,

Ordered, That notwithstanding failure to comply with Rules No. 60 and No. 63 of this House regarding intention to petition for a Private Bill, leave be given to present a petition of the Trustees of the Toronto General Hospital for a Private Bill and the same be now read and received and that leave be given to introduce Private Bill No. 25, "An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital" and the Bill, when so introduced, shall stand referred for consideration by the Commissioners of Estate Bills without previous consideration by the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, and that the provisions of Rules No. 60, No. 63 and No. 66 of this House be suspended so far as they apply to this Motion.

The following Petition was accordingly read and received:—

Of the Trustees of the Toronto General Hospital praying that an Act may pass authorizing an alteration in the terms of a bequest to the Hospital by the late Margaret Emma Bingham.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 56), intituled, "The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 55), intituled, "The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 54), intituled, "The Corporations Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 57), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr. Lamport.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 58), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act." *Mr. Lamport.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 59), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act." *Mr. McQueen.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 9):—

1. What was the total amount paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association by the Producers each year since its organization. 2. What was the total amount paid by the Producer to the Cheese Producers' Association each year since its organization in (a) Grenville County; (b) Dundas County.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:

1. No money was paid by the producers to the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association since its organization. The total amount paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers' Marketing Board each year since its organization is as follows: 1935, \$18,436.65; 1936, \$6,830.58; 1937, \$38,671.89; 1938, \$40,099.63. 2. None. The total amounts paid by the producers to the Ontario Cheese Producers' Marketing Board each year since its organization in (a) Grenville County: 1935, \$638.76; 1936, \$189.60; 1937, \$1,344.04; 1938, \$1,102.06; (b) Dundas County: 1935, \$1,593.44; 1936, \$545.04; 1937, \$2,893.76; 1938, \$2,652.50. The amounts for 1935 and 1936 were collected under the provisions of the Dominion Natural Products Marketing Act and were not paid by the producers but were paid by the buyers at the rate of 5c. per cwt. of cheese in addition to the purchase price of the cheese. The amounts paid in 1937 and 1938 were collected under the provisions of the Ontario Farm Products Control Act and were paid by the producers through being deducted by the buyers at the rate of 5c. per cwt. of cheese from the purchase price of the cheese.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada

forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and after some time, Mr. Kidd moved, seconded by Mr. Frost,

That the Motion be amended by striking out all the words after the word House in the second line, and substituting therefor the following:—

The Attorney-General should take the necessary steps to obtain a judicial decision so that there may be no doubt about the procedure which should be adopted to make it possible to enforce the law governing the sale and consumption of liquor in the Province of Ontario.

The Amendment having been put was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Hepburn	Reynolds
Black	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Roebuck
Challies	Kennedy	Spence
Drew	Kidd	Stewart
Duckworth	Macaulay	Summerville
Elgie	Murphy	Welsh—18
Frost		

NAYS

Anderson	Duncan	King
Baker	Elliott	Kirby
Ballantyne	Fletcher	Lamport
Belanger	Freeborn	Leduc
Bethune	Gallagher	MacGillivray
Bradley	Gardhouse	MacKay
Campbell	Glass	Mercer
(Sault Ste. Marie)	Gordon	McEwing
Carr	Guthrie	McQuesten
Conacher	Habel	Newland
Conant	Hagey	Nixon
Cooper	Haines	(Brant)
Cox	Heenan	Nixon
Croll	Hepburn	(Temiskaming)
Croome	(Elgin)	Patterson
Cross	Hipel	Sinclair
Dewan	Hunter	Smith—48
Dickson		

The Motion then having been submitted was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Duncan	King
Baker	Elliott	Kirby
Ballantyne	Fletcher	Lamport
Belanger	Freeborn	Leduc
Bethune	Gallagher	MacGillivray
Bradley	Gardhouse	MacKay
Campbell	Glass	Mercer
(Sault Ste. Marie)	Gordon	McEwing
Carr	Guthrie	McQuesten
Conacher	Habel	Newland
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Dickson		

NAYS

Acres	Frost	Reynolds
Black	Hepburn	Roebuck
Challies	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Spence
Downer	Kennedy	Stewart
Drew	Kidd	Summerville
Duckworth	Macauley	Welsh—19
Elgie	Murphy	

And it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Cross,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Houck—On Wednesday next—The Village of Lion's Head Act, 1939; also, An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act; also, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

Mr. Croll—On Wednesday next—The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939; also, An Act respecting Hire, Purchase and Sale upon Credit of Goods.

Mr. Hagey—On Wednesday next—An Act respecting the Changing of Names.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 28th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 14

MONDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1939

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Third and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the Corporation of the Town of Leaside, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the division of the Town into four wards and to fix the number of the Town Council at seven.

Of the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria, praying that an Act may pass to clarify the powers of the Petitioner in regard to borrowing money and dealing in real estate.

Of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the formation of a Trustee Board for the purpose of holding the Church property.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Sandwich West, praying that an Act may pass to authorize the Township to levy a minimum tax on unimproved subdivision lots and for other purposes.

Of Aurelien Belanger, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit the Petitioner to the practice of Law in Ontario.

Of the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the closing of a certain street, validating tax sales and for other purposes.

Of the Women's Christian Association of Belleville, praying that an Act may pass giving the Petitioners authority to borrow money.

Of the Corporation of the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William, praying that an Act may pass authorizing each of the said Corporations to make a grant or loan of \$5,000.00 to the Canadian Lakehead Exhibition.

Of the Rideau Club of Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Petitioners to borrow, on mortgage security, the sum of \$170,000.00.

Of J. Stanley Lewis, E. A. Bourque, Aristide Belanger, W. Elwood MacDonald and G. Percy Gordon, praying that an Act may pass for the purpose of incorporating the "City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund."

Of the Corporation of the Township of Etobicoke, praying that an Act may pass conferring on the Township the authority of a City in respect to making assessments and collecting taxes, to provide for the payment of Councillors and for other purposes.

Your Committee recommends that Rule No. 60 of your Honourable House be suspended in this that the time for introducing Private Bills be extended until and inclusive of Monday, the 3rd day of April next.

Ordered, That the time for introducing Private Bills be extended until and inclusive of Monday, the 3rd day of April next.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Leaside." *Mr. Henry.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria." *Mr. MacGillivray.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act respecting the Trustee Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada." *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 16), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West." *Mr. Trottier.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 17), intituled, "An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister and Solicitor." *Mr. Belanger.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 18), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of London." *Mr. Duncan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 19), intituled, "An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville." *Mr. Arnott.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 22), intituled, "An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William." *Mr. Cox.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 23), intituled, "An Act respecting the Rideau Club." *Mr. Dunbar.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 24), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund." *Mr. Dunbar.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 25), intituled, "An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham, deceased, and the Toronto General Hospital." *Mr. Lamport.*

Referred to the Commissioners of Estates Bills.

Bill (No. 20), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke." *Mr. Gardhouse.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of King." *Mr. Baker.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 60), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report on Section One of Bill (No. 11), "An Act respecting the City of Toronto."

The Report was then read by the Clerk at the Table, as follows:

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO

Osgoode Hall, Toronto 2,
March 25th, 1939.

A. C. Lewis, Esq.,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto.

Dear Sir:—

The "City of Toronto Bill, 1939, Sec. 1"

With reference to your communication enclosing a copy of Bill No. 11, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto, 1939," section 1 of which refers to a parcel of land known as St. Patrick's Market, to be vested in the City of Toronto.

The parcel of land referred to in paragraph 2 of the Bill is a comparatively small parcel on the north side of Queen Street, having a frontage of ninety feet thereon, and extending northerly three hundred feet. This property was conveyed by D'Arcy Boulton on the 8th June, 1837, to the Corporation of the City, by a deed which recites that Boulton, at the instance of a number of the inhabitants of St. Patrick's ward in the City, had consented to convey this parcel to the City for market purposes. The deed contains a stipulation that if at any time thereafter the City of Toronto shall annul the dedication for a market, or if for any other cause it should cease to exist and be used for that purpose, the land shall revert to Boulton, or to his heirs.

In July, 1909, the City having taken proceedings under The Quieting Titles Act, the Referee of Titles determined that the condition causing the property to revert to the Boulton heirs was not operative, and upon appeal the late Sir William Meredith upheld his decision, and a certificate was granted to the City in pursuance of said Act. This certificate we accept as conclusively establishing that the City is the owner of the lands in trust for the use and purpose of establishing, keeping and maintaining a public market for the benefit and advantage of the citizens of Toronto and others resorting thereto, for the public sale of all such articles and things as may be brought to the same, subject, nevertheless, to such rules and regulations as may be by law made and enforced for the due and proper management of any other market established, or hereafter to be established in the City of Toronto.

It is further to be noticed that with reference to a portion of the property conveyed, Boulton was not, at the time of the conveyance, the owner in fee simple, but merely held a leasehold interest by way of mortgage. The certificate of title granted to the City recognizes this right, and is made subject also to the rights of one Nicholas Fennel, his heirs or assigns, in the said town lot Number 11 under indenture of lease by way of mortgage, dated 16th day of May, 1833, made between the said Nicholas Fennel, of the one part, and the said D'Arcy Boulton the Younger, of the other part, for securing the payment of £150 and interest thereon at the rate and payable on the days and times therein mentioned. This lease, it should be mentioned, is a lease for five hundred years, commencing 1833. The rights of Fennel or his heirs are protected by this certificate.

In February, 1911, application was made to the Legislature with reference to the title to this lot, the City then seeking to have it vested in the municipality. The Bill was referred to the Estates Commissioners, and the late Chancellor Sir John A. Boyd and the late Chief Justice of the King's Bench, Sir Glenholme Falconbridge reported to the Legislature, referring to the decision of the Court, 1 O.W.N., p. 92, that the land had been conveyed by a gift to the City by the late D'Arcy Boulton in trust for establishing and maintaining a public market thereon for the benefit of the citizens of Toronto, subject to a proviso that if at any future time the City should apply the same to any other purpose, the said conveyance should become void and the lands revert to the donor. The Court had declared that the condition was void in law as offending against the rule as to perpetuities, and that what was then sought by way of proposed legislation was to get rid of this trust and so to enable the City to use the property for general purposes as public municipal property, and the Commissioners reported that the Bill should not go into law unless and until due consideration had been given to the apparently reasonable claim of the Boulton heirs-at-law for consideration.

No attention seems to have been paid to the reversionary interests outstanding in the heirs of Fennel.

We have secured a copy of a plan prepared by the City surveyor, which we enclose you herewith. From this plan it appears that a large number of cottages front upon this parcel, and we do not think that the City should be given title to the land without notice to the owners of these properties who may have a right of access thereto. Some fifteen buildings in all have, apparently, direct access to this parcel of land.

We therefore report that in our opinion it is not reasonable that section one of the Bill submitted to us should pass into law.

As witness our respective hands.

R. S. ROBERTSON,
A Commissioner of Estate Bills.

W. E. MIDDLETON,
A Commissioner of Estate Bills.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

Mr. Nixon (Brant) moved, seconded by Mr. Heenan,

That the amendment to the motion for an Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne be amended by substituting the word "and" for the word "but"

in the first line and by amending the balance of the wording so that the amendment shall now read as follows:—

“And this House desires to assure Your Honour of the confidence of the Legislative Assembly and the people of the Province in Your Honour’s Government under the able and courageous leadership of Ontario’s present Prime Minister.”

The Amendment to the Amendment having been put was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Dickson	Leduc
Baker	Duncan	Macfie
Ballantyne	Elliott	MacGillivray
Bégin	Fairbank	MacKay
Belanger	Fletcher	Mercer
Bethune	Freeborn	Miller
Blakelock	Gallagher	McEwing
Bradley	Gardhouse	McQuesten
Brownridge	Glass	Newland
Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie)	Gordon	Nixon (Brant)
Campbell (Kent, East)	Guthrie	Nixon (Temiskaming)
Carr	Habel	Oliver
Cholette	Hagey	Patterson
Conant	Haines	Robertson
Cooper	Heenan	Roebuck
Cox	Hepburn (Elgin)	Sinclair
Croll	Hipel	Smith
Croome	Hunter	Strachan
Cross	King	Trottier—60
Dewan	Kirby	
	Lamport	

NAYS

Acres	Dunbar	Macaulay
Arnott	Elgie	Murphy
Black	Frost	Reynolds
Challies	Henry	Spence
Doucett	Hepburn	Stewart
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Summerville
Drew	Kennedy	Welsh—22
Duckworth	Kidd	

The main Motion, as amended, having been submitted, was then carried on the same Division.

And it was,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, as follows:—

*To The Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And this House desires to assure Your Honour of the confidence of the Legislative Assembly and the people of the Province in Your Honour's Government under the able and courageous leadership of Ontario's present Prime Minister.

The Address, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Address be engrossed and presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will, on Thursday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will, on Thursday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Inspector of Legal Offices, Ontario, for the year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 5.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.08 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Cross—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Assessment Act; also, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Resolution—That in the opinion of this House reforestation and the preservation of forests is essential to the continuation of farming in this Province, and a permanent plan of water sheds should be established by means of which a map of every county will be prepared, showing where forests should be preserved or planted, such map to be furnished by the Department of Forestry on request of any County Council.

Mr. Elliott—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday, the 3rd day of April next:—

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Leaside."

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria."

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act respecting the Trustee Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada."

Bill (No. 16), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West."

Bill (No. 17), intituled, "An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to Admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister and Solicitor."

Bill (No. 18), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of London."

Bill (No. 19), intituled, "An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville."

Bill (No. 20), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke."

Bill (No. 22), intituled, "An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William."

Bill (No. 23), intituled, "An Act respecting the Rideau Club."

Bill (No. 24), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund."

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of King."

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Wednesday), March 29th, at 10.00 a.m. for organization and business.

No. 15

TUESDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1939

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 61), intituled, "An Act to amend The Companies Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 62), intituled, "An Act to amend The Limitations Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 63), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mortgages Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 64), intituled, "The Collection Agencies Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Oliver moved, seconded by Mr. Freeborn,

That in view of the fact that the wheat growers of Ontario have practically lost access to the export market for wheat owing to the preferential rates accorded to Western Canada and United States wheat shipped ex-lake in carload lots as compared with the carload rates on Ontario wheat, namely, approximately

10.34c. per cwt. and 7.08c. per cwt. on Western wheat as compared with 20c. per cwt. on Ontario wheat and as a result a large portion of Ontario wheat crop has to be used for feed and many flour mills in this Province have been forced to discontinue operations, it is the opinion of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario that Ontario wheat, wheat flour and wheat products and other Ontario grains and the products thereof, shipped for export should be accorded freight rates similar to those accorded Western Canada and United States wheat, wheat flour and wheat products moving by rail from Bay ports through Ontario for export, and that this resolution be transmitted to the Transport Board of Canada now considering such an application from Ontario farmers and millers.

And a debate having arisen,

After some time, the motion having been put, was carried by a unanimous vote of the House.

And it was Resolved—That in view of the fact that the wheat growers of Ontario have practically lost access to the export market for wheat owing to the preferential rates accorded to Western Canada and United States wheat shipped ex-lake in carload lots as compared with the carload rates on Ontario wheat, namely, approximately 10.34c. per cwt. and 7.08c. per cwt. on Western wheat as compared with 20c. per cwt. on Ontario wheat and as a result a large portion of Ontario wheat crop has to be used for feed and many flour mills in this Province have been forced to discontinue operations, it is the opinion of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario that Ontario wheat, wheat flour and wheat products and other Ontario grains and the products thereof shipped for export should be accorded freight rates similar to those accorded Western Canada and United States wheat, wheat flour and wheat products moving by rail from Bay ports through Ontario for export, and that this resolution be transmitted to the Transport Board of Canada now considering such an application from Ontario farmers and millers.

On motion of Mr. Leduc, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting taxation of Corporations.

Mr. Nixon (Brant) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved—This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Corporations Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every company, including every bank, extra provincial company, insurance company and other incorporated company having its head office, or other office, in Ontario, or which holds assets in Ontario, or which transacts business in Ontario,

shall for every fiscal year of such company pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved—This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Corporations Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every company, including every bank, extra provincial company, insurance company and other incorporated company having its head office, or other office, in Ontario, or which holds assets in Ontario, or which transacts business in Ontario, shall for every fiscal year of such company pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill No. 54.

On motion of Mr. Leduc, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting taxation of the transfer of securities.

Mr. Nixon (Brant), acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved—This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Security Transfer Act, 1939," as presented to this House, which Act provides that there be imposed, levied, collected and paid to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario a tax

- (a) upon every change of ownership consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment of a security made or carried into effect in Ontario;
- (b) upon every order given in Ontario for the sale, transfer or assignment of a security when such order is to be executed outside of Ontario;
- (c) upon every transfer or delivery of a security exchanged for another security in Ontario provided that this clause shall not apply where the exchange of securities issued by one company is made for other securities issued by the same company to the same holder; and

- (d) upon every delivery in Ontario of a security held in Ontario for the account of a non-resident of Canada consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment executed within or without Ontario by or for such non-resident;

of the amount, at the time and in the manner provided by the said Act.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved—This House approves the terms of an Act intituled, "The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939," as presented to this House, which Act provides that there be imposed, levied, collected and paid to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario a tax

- (a) upon every change of ownership consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment of a security made or carried into effect in Ontario;
- (b) upon every order given in Ontario for the sale, transfer or assignment of a security when such order is to be executed outside of Ontario;
- (c) upon every transfer or delivery of a security exchanged for another security in Ontario provided that this clause shall not apply where the exchange of securities issued by one company is made for other securities issued by the same company to the same holder; and
- (d) upon every delivery in Ontario of a security held in Ontario for the account of a non-resident of Canada consequent upon the sale, transfer or assignment executed within or without Ontario by or for such non-resident;

of the amount, at the time and in the manner provided by the said Act.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill No. 55.

On motion of Mr. Leduc, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting taxation of race tracks and race meetings.

Mr. Nixon (Brant), acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved— This House approves of the terms of an Act intituled, "The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every person owning or operating or using a race track, and holding a race meeting, and every holder of a winning ticket issued under the pari-mutuel system upon a race track at a race meeting, shall pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario, the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved—This House approves of the terms of an Act intituled, "The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides that every person owning or operating or using a race track, and holding a race meeting, and every holder of a winning ticket issued under the pari-mutuel system upon a race track at a race meeting, shall pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario, the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill No. 56.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Referred to a Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act.

Referred to a Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Referred to a Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939, having been read, and a Debate arising, after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Leduc,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 46), An Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Public Works, Ontario, for year ending 31st March, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 8.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Constables Act.

Mr. Croll—On Friday next—An Act respecting Freedom of Association.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Every purchaser of gasoline shall pay to the Minister of Highways for the use of His Majesty in right of the Province of Ontario a charge or tax at the rate of eight (8) cents per Imperial gallon on all gasoline purchase or delivery of which is received by him.

Mr. Reynolds—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been expended for approaches, bridges and highway in connection with the Thousand Islands International Bridge project. 2. Were tenders called for such

work. What tenders were received and who were the successful tenderers. 3. What work, if any, was done without tender.

Mr. Reynolds—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiation. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.

Mr. Roebuck—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands in Ontario are there: (a) Under patent; (b) Under lease; (c) Staked, prior to patent. 2. What is the rate of annual provincial taxation under each division (a), (b) and (c) above. 3. What is the gross amount received by the Provincial Government during the last completed fiscal year under each of the said divisions. 4. Are any of the said taxes presently in arrears. 5. What is the amount of the present arrears, if any. 6. What is the maximum length of time of such arrears. 7. Has there been any change in the rate of such taxation since 1934. 8. What was the amount of such arrears, if any, in 1934. 9. What was the maximum length of time of such arrears in 1934. 10. How many acres have been cancelled for non-payment of taxes in each year since 1924.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bill will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Tuesday, the 4th day of April next:—

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto."

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), March 30th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), March 30th, at 10.00 a.m.

No. 16

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1939

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Croll, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Clerk of the Privy Council of Canada acknowledgements of the receipt of certified copies of the resolution adopted by this House on Thursday, the 23rd Instant, petitioning the Federal Government to enact legislation to mobilize the wealth and man power of Canada in the event of a War emergency, and the resolution adopted by this House on Monday, the 27th Instant, petitioning the Federal Government to repeal the Canada Temperance Act so far as it applies to the Province of Ontario.

The acknowledgements were then read by the Clerk at the Table, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL

Ottawa, 29th March, 1939

*Major Alex. C. Lewis,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly,
Toronto, Ontario.*

Sir,

I have the honour, by direction of the Right Honourable the Prime Minister, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant, transmitting a copy of a Resolution of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, which was passed by the unanimous vote of the House on Thursday, the twenty-third instant, asking the Federal Parliament of Canada to pass legislation to mobilize the

wealth and man power of Canada in the event of War, and to inform you that the Resolution in question will immediately be brought to the attention of Council.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. J. LEMAIRE,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL

Ottawa, 29th March, 1939

Major Alex. C. Lewis,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly,
Toronto, Ontario.

Sir,

I have the honour, by direction of the Right Honourable the Prime Minister, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th instant, transmitting a Resolution of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, passed by the House on Monday, the Twenty-seventh, instant, to the effect that The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and to inform you that this Resolution will be immediately brought to the attention of Council.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. J. LEMAIRE,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

Mr. Hepburn delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from The Lieutenant-Governor, signed by himself; and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker, and is as follows:—

ALBERT MATTHEWS

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1940, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, March 30th, 1939.

(Sessional Papers No. 2.)

Ordered, That the message of The Lieutenant-Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been read,

Mr. Hepburn moved,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House do resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Frost,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

During the course of his presentation of the Budget the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer laid on the Table the following statements:—

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1938—MARCH 31ST, 1939

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 343,094.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		1,037,693.00
3—EDUCATION.....		139,782.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		902,861.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches.....	\$ 71,825.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	1,345,544.00	1,417,369.00
6—HIGHWAYS:		
Main Office.....	9,339.00	
Gasoline Tax.....	18,516,000.00	
Permits, Gas Pumps, etc.....	88,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	8,132,000.00	26,745,339.00
7—INSURANCE.....		235,972.00
8—LABOUR.....		127,646.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:		
Lands Branch.....	686,921.00	
Forests Branch.....	3,854,229.00	4,541,150.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		15,011.00
11—MINES.....		3,092,740.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:		
Main Office.....	6,963.00	
Municipal Board.....	4,298.00	
Housing Branch.....	97,038.00	108,299.00
13—PRIME MINISTER.....		17,843.00
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	404,675.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	942,124.00	1,346,799.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,424.00	
Interest.....	72,835.00	
Liquor Control Board.....	10,500,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch:		
Succession Duty.....	15,000,000.00	
Corporation Tax.....	9,535,525.00	
Income Tax.....	6,884,769.00	
Stock Transfer Tax.....	693,275.00	
Land Transfer Tax.....	225,729.00	
Law Stamps.....	400,804.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection.....	204,639.00	
Savings Office.....	286,640.00	46,745,640.00
16—PUBLIC WORKS.....		48,823.00
		\$86,866,061.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest.....		9,191,727.00
		\$96,057,788.00

SUMMARY

Gross Ordinary Revenue.....	\$96,057,788.00
Less: Gross Ordinary Expenditure (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Funds and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....)	84,936,038.09
Surplus: (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Fund, and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....)	11,121,749.91
Less: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....	\$9,804,555.00
Provision for Sinking Fund.....	992,655.27
Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....	88,501.64
	10,885,711.91
Interim Surplus.....	\$ 236,038.00

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1938—MARCH 31st, 1939

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,170,172.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		2,814,478.00
3—EDUCATION.....		12,732,136.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		567,163.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches.....	\$ 999,989.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	8,329,109.00	9,329,098.00
6—HIGHWAYS.....		8,152,885.00
7—INSURANCE.....		66,575.00
8—LABOUR.....		629,491.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:		
Lands Branch.....	219,952.00	
Forests Branch.....	1,996,831.00	2,216,783.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		272,998.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.....		9,500.00
12—MINES.....		382,542.00
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		3,282,556.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		175,129.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		114,700.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	123,536.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	2,162,893.00	2,286,429.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office.....	543,068.00	
Budget Committee Office.....	10,687.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	474,248.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch	34,409.00	
Post Office.....	146,233.00	
Savings Office.....	286,640.00	1,495,285.00

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Main Office and Branches	\$ 392,820.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission	3,387,850.00	
Mothers' Allowance Commission	5,152,362.00	\$ 8,933,032.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS		825,609.00
MISCELLANEOUS		17,926.00
STATIONERY ACCOUNT		35,341.00
		\$56,509,828.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, Exchange, etc.		29,507,367.00
		\$86,017,195.00
ADD: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof		9,804,555.00
		\$95,821,750.00

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1938—MARCH 31ST, 1939

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE	\$	\$ 33,734.00	\$ 7,000.00
HIGHWAYS	50,272.00	.....	.....
LANDS AND FORESTS:			
Lands Branch	54,851.00	.....	.....
Forests Branch	3,999.00	.....	.....
MINES	58,189.00	.....	.....
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS .....	.....	266,724.00	.....
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund .....	.....	.....	1,374,916.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office .....	.....	2,653,632.00	232,189.00
Hydro-Electric Power Commission .....	.....	1,824,814.00	.....
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Old Age and Blind Pensions Commission .....	.....	9,949,940.00	.....
Mothers' Allowances Commission .....	.....	41,104.00	.....
PUBLIC WORKS	15,422.00	.....	.....
	\$ 182,733.00	\$14,769,948.00	\$1,614,105.00

SUMMARY

Works and Resources	\$ 182,733.00
Loan Repayments	14,769,948.00
Trust Fund Deposits	1,614,105.00
	\$16,566,786.00

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1938—MARCH 21ST, 1939

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....	\$	\$ 5,000.00	.....
EDUCATION.....	65,638.00	.....	.....
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	15,000.00	.....	.....
HIGHWAYS.....	35,185,810.00	.....	.....
LANDS AND FORESTS:			
Lands Branch.....	61,577.00	.....	.....
Forests Branch.....	326,458.00	.....	.....
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....	.....	.....	\$ 784,491.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....	.....	638,050.00	211,080.00
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3,030,000.00	65,000.00	.....
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Main Office.....	.....	.....	25,000.00
Dominion Government:			
Old Age and Blind Pensions.....	.....	9,900,309 00	.....
PUBLIC WORKS.....	5,455,772.00	.....	.....
	<u>\$44,140,255.00</u>	<u>\$10,608,359.00</u>	<u>\$1,020,571.00</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$44,140,255.00
Loan Advances.....	10,608,359.00
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,020,571.00
	<u>\$55,769,185.00</u>

STATEMENT OF CAPITAL EXPENDITURES WHICH CORRESPONDINGLY INCREASE THE CAPITAL ASSETS OF
THE PROVINCE FOR THE PERIOD FROM NOVEMBER 1st, 1934, TO MARCH 31st, 1939

	5 months ended	YEAR ENDED					Total
		Mar. 31, 1935	Mar. 31, 1936	Mar. 31, 1937	Mar. 31, 1938	Mar. 31, 1939 (Estimated)	
AGRICULTURE:							
Purchase of land, erection of buildings, etc.....					\$ 58,978.98		\$ 58,978.98
EDUCATION:							
University of Toronto.....			\$ 65,638.43	\$ 65,638.43	65,638.43	\$ 65,638.00	262,553.29
GAME AND FISHERIES:							
Erecting Ponds, Buildings and Dams, Purchase of Land, Buildings, Boats, Machinery and Equip- ment.....			16,139.83	27,997.38	50,554.53	15,000.00	109,691.74
HEALTH:							
Radium Emanation Plant, etc., and Purchase of Radium.....	\$	39,567.29	167,035.51	6,559.42			213,162.22
HIGHWAYS:							
Road Construction and Northern Ontario Roads.....		11,506,386.39	15,658,944.61	9,459,983.21	34,622,186.12	35,185,810.00	106,433,310.33
LANDS AND FORESTS:							
Reforestation, Surveys, Clearing Townsites, Equip- ment, etc.....		97,656.24	290,430.05	415,494.35	312,952.89	388,035.00	1,504,568.53
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:							
Additions and Alterations, Guelph and Burwash.....				74,321.92	65,422.62		139,744.54
PUBLIC WORKS:							
Construction of New Buildings, Roads, Bridges, etc..		335,466.79	263,039.57	219,574.55	2,015,118.07	5,455,772.00	8,288,970.98
PUBLIC WELFARE:							
Retire Bonded Indebtedness, Alexander Industrial School.....			20,000.00				20,000.00
HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER COMMISSION:							
Bonuses, Rural Transmission Lines.....		120,000.00	305,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,770,000.00	3,030,000.00	6,225,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....			211.84		1,857.38		2,069.22
		\$12,099,076.71	\$16,786,439.84	\$11,269,569.26	\$38,962,709.02	\$44,140,255.00	\$123,258,049.83

THE FUNDED DEBT OF ONTARIO

Detail Summary of Estimated Changes in Funded Debt
for the Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1939

As at March 31st, 1938 (after deducting Sinking Funds).....		\$575,672,701.72
ADD—Sale of Debentures:		
TI—4¾% Teachers' and Inspectors' Superannuation Fund due November 1st, 1942.....	\$ 1,300,000.00	
BJ—3% due November 1st, 1947/50.....	15,000,000.00	
RG—3% due December 15th, 1945/49.....	16,500,000.00	32,800,000.00
		<u>\$608,472,701.72</u>
LESS—Redemptions:		
At Maturity—		
May 15th, 1938—AL—4%.....	\$ 464,060.00	
May 15th, 1938—AP—4½%.....	406,000.00	
June 1st, 1938—AX—4%.....	2,000,000.00	
June 1st, 1938—AS—4%.....	399,000.00	
August 30th, 1938—BD—2½%.....	4,500,000.00	
November 1st, 1938—AK—4½%.....	800,000.00	
December 1st, 1938—AH—4½%.....	700,000.00	
January 15th, 1939—AJ—4½%.....	800,000.00	
January 15th, 1939—AR—4½%.....	353,000.00	
	<u>\$10,422,000.00</u>	
Prior to Maturity, for Cancellation (Succession Duty Free).....	56,600.00	
	<u>\$10,478,600.00</u>	
Annuities.....	1,875.00	
Railway Aid Certificates.....	88,501.54	
Sinking Fund Provisions—Current Year.....	1,019,093.44	11,588,069.98
Estimated as at March 31st, 1939 (after deducting Sinking Funds).....		<u>\$596,884,631.74</u>
Total New Issues.....	\$32,800,000.00	
Total Redemptions.....	11,588,069.98	
Net Increase.....	<u>\$21,211,930.02</u>	

SCHEDULE OF INDIRECT LIABILITIES AND GUARANTEES
OF THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

As at January 31st, 1939

Total—as per Public Accounts—March 31st, 1938.....	\$137,308,097.11
ADD—Sinking Fund Deposits as at March 31st, 1938.....	\$120,338.31
LESS—Coupons matured and outstanding as at March 31st, 1938.....	20,835.23 99,503.08
Gross Principal Unmatured and Outstanding as at March 31st, 1938.....	<u>\$137,407,600.19</u>
LESS—Principal Maturities redeemed during period from April 1st, 1938, to January 31st, 1939:	

BY PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Housing.....	\$ 38,822.18
Municipal.....	2,668.07
Schools.....	13,576.67
	<u>\$ 55,066.92</u>

SCHEDULE OF INDIRECT LIABILITIES AND GUARANTEES OF THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

As at January 31st, 1939

By MUNICIPALITIES, ETC.

Co-Operative Associations.....	\$ 69,023.65		
Housing.....	107,558.91		
Municipalities.....	50,271.13		
Park Commissions.....	1,179,822.92		
Power Commissions.....	4,000,000.00		
Railways.....	525,000.00		
Schools.....	158,437.55		
Universities.....	85,503.89		
		\$ 6,037,570.75	\$ 6,092,637.67
			<u>\$131,314,962.52</u>
ADD—New Guarantees for period from April 1st, 1938, to January 31st, 1939:			
Park Commissions.....	\$ 2,500,000.00		
Power Commissions.....	12,500,000.00		15,000,000.00
Gross Principal Unmatured and Outstanding as at January 31st, 1939.....			\$146,314,962.52
LESS—Sinking Fund Deposits as at January 31st, 1939.....	\$ 142,904.50		
ADD—Coupons Matured and Outstanding as at January 31st, 1939.....		19,281.92	123,622.58
Net Liability of the Province as at January 31st, 1939.....			<u>\$146,191,339.94</u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 339,035.00	\$ 338,903.00		\$ 132.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL:					
Main Office and Branches.....	\$ 932,234.60		138,914.60	\$ 793,320.00	
Securities Commission.....	100,000.00	1,032,234.60		100,000.00	893,320.00
3—EDUCATION.....		140,000.00	139,000.00		1,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		880,000.00	500.00		879,500.00
5—HEALTH:					
Main Office and Branches.....	59,138.00		10,438.00	48,700.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	1,509,700.00	1,568,838.00	1,509,200.00	500.00	49,200.00
6—HIGHWAYS:					
Main Office and Branches.....	10,000.00			10,000.00	
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	25,000,000.00			25,000,000.00	
Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	90,000.00			90,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	9,200,000.00	34,300,000.00		9,200,000.00	34,300,000.00
7—INSURANCE.....		230,000.00			230,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		140,525.00	139,750.00		775.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:					
Lands Branch.....	650,000.00		13,693.60	636,306.40	
Forests Branch.....	2,476,500.00	3,126,500.00	492,750.00	1,983,750.00	2,620,056.40
10—LEGISLATION.....		14,500.00	7,500.00		7,000.00
11—MINES.....		2,600,000.00	5,000.00		2,595,000.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:					
Main Office and Municipal Board.....	10,800.00		10,800.00		
Housing Branch.....	35,000.00	45,800.00	35,000.00		
13—PRIME MINISTER:					
King's Printer—Ontario Gazette		20,000.00			20,000.00

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Revenue
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:					
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	\$ 368,000.00		\$ 5,000.00	\$ 363,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	914,000.00	1,282,000.00	914,000.00		\$ 363,000.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:					
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,424.00			2,941,424.00	
Interest.....	73,000.00			73,000.00	
Liquor Control Board.....	10,750,000.00			10,750,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch:					
Succession Duty.....	17,000,000.00			17,000,000.00	
Corporations Tax.....	10,000,000.00			10,000,000.00	
Income Tax.....	6,000,000.00			6,000,000.00	
Stock Transfer Tax.....	700,000.00			700,000.00	
Land Transfer Tax.....	250,000.00			250,000.00	
Law Stamps.....	400,000.00			400,000.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch..	185,000.00			185,000.00	
Savings Office.....	279,806.77	48,579,230.77	279,806.77		48,299,424.00
16—PUBLIC WORKS.....		47,255.00	43,680.00		3,575.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		100,000.00	100,000.00		
		94,445,918.37	4,183,935.97		90,261,982.40
PUBLIC DEBT—INTEREST.....		9,060,992.24	9,060,992.24		
TOTAL.....		\$103,506,910.61	\$13,244,928.21		\$90,261,982.40

SUMMARY

Net Ordinary Revenue.....	\$90,261,982.40
Net Ordinary Expenditure (not including Unemployment Relief).....	80,291,110.23
EXCESS OF ORDINARY REVENUE OVER ORDINARY EXPENDITURE.....	\$ 9,970,872.17
Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and administration thereof.....	9,820,000.00
SURPLUS FORECAST.....	\$ 150,872.17

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,284,456.25	\$ 326,903.00		\$ 1,957,553.25
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL:					
Main Office and Branches....	\$ 2,632,049.60		138,914.60	\$ 2,493,135.00	
Securities Commission.....	74,527.50	2,706,577.10		74,527.50	2,567,662.50
3—EDUCATION.....		12,923,986.00	139,000.00		12,784,986.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		646,250.00	500.00		645,750.00
5—HEALTH:					
Main Office and Branches....	1,187,920.00		10,438.00	1,177,482.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	10,202,030.00	11,389,950.00	1,509,200.00	8,692,830.00	9,870,312.00
6—HIGHWAYS:					
Main Office and Branches....	10,277,500.00			10,277,500.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	405,000.00	10,682,500.00		405,000.00	10,682,500.00
7—INSURANCE.....		67,100.00			67,100.00
8—LABOUR.....		649,816.55	139,750.00		510,066.55
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:					
Lands Branch.....	235,175.00			235,175.00	
Forests Branch.....	2,081,645.00	2,316,820.00	492,750.00	1,588,895.00	1,824,070.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		273,575.00	7,500.00		266,075.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR..		10,000.00			10,000.00
12—MINES.....		433,550.00	5,000.00		428,550.00

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Expenditure
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:					
Main Office and Municipal Board.....	\$ 127,850.00		\$ 10,800.00	\$ 117,050.00	
Subsidy—1½ Mill—					
To cities, towns, incorporated villages and townships.....	4,450,000.00			4,450,000.00	
Grant—To City of Toronto—Municipal Air Port....	100,000.00	4,677,850.00		100,000.00	\$ 4,667,050.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		173,415.00			173,415.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		119,500.00			119,500.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:					
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	121,480.00		5,000.00	116,480.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	1,923,525.00	2,045,005.00	914,000.00	1,009,525.00	1,126,005.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:					
Main Office.....	547,840.00			547,840.00	
Budget Committee Office.....	10,735.00			10,735.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	472,860.00			472,860.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch..	38,675.00			38,675.00	
Post Office.....	149,315.00			149,315.00	
Savings Office.....	279,806.77	1,499,231.77	279,806.77		1,219,425.00
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:					
Main Office and Branches.....	399,100.00			399,100.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission.	3,552,500.00			3,552,500.00	
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	5,307,700.00	9,259,300.00		5,307,700.00	9,259,300.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS.....		811,300.00	43,680.00		767,620.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		104,400.00	100,000.00		4,400.00
		\$63,074,582.67	\$ 4,123,242.37		\$58,951,340.30
			11,000.00		
			13,693.60		
			35,000.00		
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, Exchange, etc.....	30,461,455.77	9,060,992.24			21,339,769.93
TOTAL.....		\$93,536,038.44	\$13,244,928.21		\$80,291,110.23
ADD: Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and the Administration thereof.....		9,820,000.00			9,820,000.00
GRAND TOTAL.....		\$103,356,038.44	\$13,244,928.21		\$90,111,110.23

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

DEPARTMENT	CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 38,000.00	
HIGHWAYS.....	\$ 10,000.00		
LANDS AND FORESTS:			
Lands Branch.....	45,300.00		
Forests Branch.....	4,700.00		
MINES.....	50,000.00		
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		83,000.00	

CAPITAL RECEIPTS

DEPARTMENT	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$1,405,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		3,599,754.88	181,983.18
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....		2,562,310.95	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government—			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....		10,170,000.00	
Blind Pensions.....		210,600.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	150.00		
	\$ 110,150.00	\$16,663,665.83	\$1,586,983.18

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$ 110,150.00
Loan Repayments.....	16,663,665.83
Trust Fund Deposits.....	1,586,983.18
	<u>\$18,360,799.01</u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

CAPITAL PAYMENTS

DEPARTMENT	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 25,000.00	
EDUCATION.....	\$ 65,638.43		
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	35,000.00		
HIGHWAYS.....	15,200,000.00		
LANDS AND FORESTS:			
Lands Branch.....	138,000.00		
Forests Branch.....	328,600.00		
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$ 850,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		1,462,744.60	357,750.33
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	2,500,000.00	50,000.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government:			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....		10,170,000.00	
Blind Pensions.....		210,600.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	4,762,000.00		
	\$23,029,238.43	\$11,918,344.60	\$1,207,750.33

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$23,029,238.43
Loan Advances.....	11,918,344.60
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,207,750.33
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	\$36,155,333.36

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 65), intituled, "An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Provincial Auditor be and is hereby authorized to pay the salaries of the Civil Service employees and other necessary payments following the close of the present fiscal year on March 31st, 1939, and until Supply for the ensuing fiscal year is voted by this House, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriations following the voting of Supply.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 15):—

1. What was the total amount received by the Government from Annual Returns under The Companies Information Act for the years 1935 to 1938 inclusive. 2. Returns showing amount paid to the Treasury Department under The Corporations Tax Act for ordinary incorporated Companies. Classify, if possible, for the years 1933 to 1938 inclusive.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Total amount received from Annual Returns under The Companies Information Act:

*Fiscal year ended March 31st, 1935 (5 months period).....	\$ 7,290.82
“ “ “ “ 31st, 1936.....	27,525.75
“ “ “ “ 31st, 1937.....	47,907.60
“ “ “ “ 31st, 1938.....	45,190.73

2. Amounts received under The Corporations Tax Act from Ordinary Incorporated Companies:

Fiscal year ended Oct.	31st, 1933	\$2,518,192.81
" " " "	31st, 1934	2,420,433.93
" " " March	31st, 1935 (5 months period)	115,222.10
" " " "	31st, 1936	3,332,451.72
" " " "	31st, 1937	5,136,722.23
" " " "	31st, 1938	4,659,549.08

*This period does not cover a date when Annual Returns were due.

The House then adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Roebuck—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act.

Mr. T. A. Murphy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the centre road from Brown's Line to the Town of Burlington from November 1st, 1934, to date; (a) What is the total mileage; (b) Who are the contractors who performed the work.

Mr. T. A. Murphy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What date was the work commenced on Highway No. 2, from the east limit of the City of Belleville to the east limit of the four-lane highway; (a) Was the work done by contract or day labour; (b) What work is contemplated on this section this year; (c) What is the total cost of the work to date.

Mr. T. A. Murphy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost for the grading and culvert construction on new four-lane highway in Ontario County; (a) Were there any extensions on the original contract; (b) Who are the contractors.

Mr. Spence—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have the insurance company bonds held by the Province in respect of Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited licensed timber areas been surrendered by the Province, if so give particulars of the bonds so surrendered, amount and name of the company in the case of each bond so surrendered. 2. What bonds if any have been substituted for the insurance company bonds so surrendered.

Mr. Spence—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the waterway for the transportation of wood referred to in the agreement with Pulpwood Supply Company Limited ready for the transportation of wood. If so at what date was it so ready. How much wood has been transported along such waterway. 2. How much wood is ready for transport along the same.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Government, during the operating season 1934-35 advertise for sale the timber

or any part thereof standing or growing upon the Townships of Copperfield and/or Bonar or any part or parts thereof; (b) What number of bids were received for said timber, who were the bidders and what price did each of the bidders offer to pay for each kind and class of timber offered for sale; (c) What was the actual price received by the Government for each kind and class of timber sold and what was the name of the successful bidder; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber were cut upon the area in question for each of the operating seasons during which the area was under license or permit to cut.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender increased the size of any areas held under license from the Crown for the cutting of pulpwood, saw logs, railway ties or other kinds or classes of timber or timber products; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses the area of which has been increased as referred to in (a) above; (c) What was the size of the original area and what kinds and classes of timber were covered by the original license and what was the price paid for each of the original kinds and classes of timber in each case; (d) What was the size of the new area added to the original licensed area in each case and what kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut upon the new area and what prices were paid for each kind and class of timber thereon; (e) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the area covered by the original license for each of the operating seasons since the new area was added in each case; (f) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the new area for each operating season since it was added to the original licensed area in each case. 2. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender added to the kinds and classes of timber permitted to be cut under the terms of the original license any other additional kinds or classes of timber on the area originally licensed; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses and what additional kinds and classes of timber have in each case been added to the kinds and classes covered by the original license; (c) What price has been charged in each case for each kind or class of timber added to those kinds and classes already covered under the terms of the original license; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber covered by the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds or classes of timber were added to the license to cut; (e) What quantities of each kind or class of timber added to the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds and classes of timber were added to those covered by the original license.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Friday), March 31st, at 10.00 a.m.

Subject:—Co-operative Marketing, Grading, etc.

No. 17

THURSDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1939

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 31ST, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 66), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Elliott.*

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Chief Commissioner of the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada an acknowledgment of receipt of the resolution of this House adopted on Wednesday, the 19th Instant, urging that Ontario grain shipped for export be granted freight rates similar to those accorded to Western Canada and United States wheat.

The acknowledgment was then read by the Clerk at the Table as follows:—

BOARD OF TRANSPORT COMMISSIONERS FOR CANADA

Ottawa, March 30th, 1939.

Dear Sir:—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your telegram of the 29th instant, which was telephoned to my house last night at 6.30 p.m., and which I received in my office this morning. I note the copy of the Resolution passed by the Legislative Assembly which, although dated 27th March, 1939, was evidently passed yesterday afternoon. This Resolution deals with the question of freight rates upon Ontario export wheat.

The application made to this Board in respect of the above question was heard at Toronto on February 21st and 22nd last, and was concluded at Ottawa

yesterday at 4.00 p.m. The Board of Transport Commissioners will now give full consideration to the evidence submitted upon the hearing and to the arguments of counsel concluded yesterday. Full consideration will also be given to the Resolution passed by the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario as set out in your telegram.

Yours truly,

H. GUTHRIE.

ALEX. C. LEWIS, Esq.,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly of Ontario,
Toronto, Ontario.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 8):—

1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Advances from Province: 1933, \$187,964,549.41; 1934, \$187,829,243.28; 1938, \$148,714,776.93. 2. Of the above total advances, the following amounts are the advances to the Northern Ontario Properties as at each year end, October 31st: 1934, \$8,272,889.39; 1935, \$8,198,887.40; 1936, \$7,168,053.63; 1937, \$6,531,407.42; 1938, \$6,370,637.25.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the increase of the gasoline tax to 8 cents per Imperial gallon.

Mr. Hepburn acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, Every purchaser of gasoline shall pay to the Minister of Highways for the use of His Majesty in right of the Province of Ontario a charge or tax at the rate of eight (8) cents per Imperial gallon on all gasoline purchased or delivery of which is received by him.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved, Every purchaser of gasoline shall pay to the Minister of Highways for the use of His Majesty in right of the Province of Ontario a charge or tax at the rate of eight (8) cents per Imperial gallon on all gasoline purchased or delivery of which is received by him.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act having been read,

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) moved that the Bill be now read a second time; and the motion having been put was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Fletcher	Leduc
Baker	Freeborn	MacGillivray
Ballantyne	Gallagher	MacKay
Bégin	Gardhouse	Mercer
Belanger	Glass	Miller
Carr	Guthrie	Murray
Conacher	Habel	McEwing
Conant	Haines	McQuesten
Croome	Heenan	Newland
Cross	Hepburn	Nixon
Dewan	(Elgin)	(Brant)
Dickson	Hipel	Patterson
Duncan	Hunter	Sinclair
Elliott	King	Smith
Fairbank	Lamport	Strachan—43

NAYS

Acres	Elgie	Murphy
Arnott	Frost	Reynolds
Black	Henry	Spence
Challies	Hepburn	Stewart
Doucett	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Summerville
Downer	Kennedy	Welsh—21
Drew	Kidd	
Duckworth	Macaulay	

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 65), An

Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time forthwith.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) moved that Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, be now read a third time.

And the Motion having been put, was carried on the following division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Fletcher	Leduc
Baker	Freeborn	MacGillivray
Ballantyne	Gallagher	MacKay
Bégin	Gardhouse	Mercer
Belanger	Glass	Miller
Carr	Guthrie	Murray
Conacher	Habel	McEwing
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Drew	Kidd	
Duckworth	Macaulay	

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took his Seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker then addressed His Honour as follows:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has, at its present Sittings, passed a certain Bill to which, on behalf and in the name of the said Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the title of the Act that had passed as follows:—

An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act.

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to this Act.

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Lands and Forests, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 3.*)

Also, Report of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for year ending October 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 26.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Stewart—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Race Tracks are licensed in Ontario. 2. Within the last 5 years, has there been or are there now any Race Tracks in arrears of license fees or any other fees or taxes to the Province. If so, give names, reasons and amounts. 3. Has the Province within the last 5 years received any cheques for any Race Track fees or taxes that were returned unpaid by any Bank. If so, give names, reasons and amounts.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 67), intituled, "An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act." *Mr. Roebuck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 5):—

1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

No payments since October, 1934.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 6):—

1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. (a) After required amount of renewals, contingencies and sinking fund had been provided, 113 districts had deficits. Total deficit for year—\$125,846.11.

(b) Revised rates for provision of—

	Renewals	Contingencies	Sinking Fund
1934.....	2% of capital invested (No change)	1% of capital invested (No change)	40-year basis— (No change)
1935.....	2% “ “	1% “ “	“ “
1936.....	1¾% “ “	Nil	“ “
1937.....	1% “ “	Nil	“ “
1938.....	1% “ “	Nil	“ “

Regarding Questions No. 1, No. 10, No. 11, No. 12, No. 13 and No. 25 the Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests required that these Questions be made Motions for Returns to the Order of the House.

On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into

by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire

and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

On Motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. How many licensees holding licenses from the Crown to cut sawlogs, ties, pulpwood or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have surrendered their licenses or rights to cut, either entire or in part, upon the licensed areas or parts of licensed areas since January 1st, 1935. 2. How many licenses issued to operators to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. (a) What is the total quantity of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive, for which permits to export same were granted; (b) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Orders-in-Council of March 23rd, 1935, and July 25th, 1935; (c) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Forest Resources Regulation Act of 1936 and in what manner does that Act authorize the Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind and class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

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On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender increased the size of any areas held under license from the Crown for the cutting of pulpwood, saw logs, railway ties or other kinds or classes of timber or timber products; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses the area of which has been increased as referred to in (a) above; (c) What was the size of the original area and what kinds and classes of timber were covered by the original license and what was the price paid for each of the original kinds and classes of timber in each case; (d) What was the size of the new area added to the original licensed area in each case and what kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut upon the new area and what prices were paid for each kind and class of timber thereon; (e) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the area covered by the original license for each of the operating seasons since the new area was added in each case; (f) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the new area for each operating season since it was added to the original licensed area in each case. 2. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender added to the kinds and classes of timber permitted to be cut under the terms of the original license any other additional kinds or classes of timber on the area originally licensed; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses and what additional kinds and classes of timber have in each case been added to the kinds and classes covered by the original license; (c) What price has been charged in each case for each kind or class of timber added to those kinds and classes already covered under the terms of the original license; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber covered by the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds or classes of timber were added to the license to cut; (e) What quantities of each kind or class of timber added to the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds and classes of timber were added to those covered by the original license.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Challies,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House reforestation and the preservation of forests is essential to the continuation of farming in this Province, and a permanent plan of water sheds should be established by means of which a map of every county will be prepared, showing where forests should be preserved or planted, such map to be furnished by the Department of Forestry on request of any County Council.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Laws.

Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Laws.

Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act.

Referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act.

Referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 56), "The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939" having been read, the Debate was resumed, and after some time, the Motion having been put, was carried and the Bill was accordingly read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The recommendation for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House having been read,

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider the Report on the revision of the Rules of the House, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to recommend the adoption of the Report of the Committee as follows, with the exception of Section "D" of Rule No. 38, which was deleted:—

The Select Committee composed of Messrs. Clark, Henry and Hipel, which was appointed during the 1938 Session of this House with power to sit during the Recess for the purpose of considering a proposed revision of the Rules of the House which had been prepared by the Clerk, beg leave to present their report, as follows:—

Your Committee held several meetings and very carefully considered the Rules and the proposed revision with the result that certain additional alterations were made by unanimous vote of the Committee in addition to the amendments submitted by the Clerk. Your Committee feels that the Rules as now submitted to the House will facilitate the conduct of the business of this Assembly.

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the Revised edition of the Rules which is attached to this Report, and that, if so adopted, the new Rules become effective on the First Day of May, 1939.

It is also recommended that the Rules as adopted be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the present Session of the House, and that the Clerk of the Assembly be authorized to have them published in book form for distribution, and that a copy of such book be mailed to each Member of the Assembly.

On motion by Mr. Hipel,

Ordered, That the Report be adopted.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Copies of Orders-in-Council pertaining to the Department of Education, 1938-1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 45.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Kennedy—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), April 4th, at 10.30 a.m.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting The Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria, and Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting The Women's Christian Association of Belleville, on the ground that they relate to religious institutions.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria, and Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting The Women's Christian Association of Belleville, on the ground that they relate to religious institutions.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 68), intituled, "An Act to amend The Constables Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 69), intituled, "An Act respecting the Changing of Names." *Mr. Hagey.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The House then adjourned at 5.44 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hipel—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Mr. Strachan—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Freeborn—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total number employed by the Department of Game and Fisheries as of (a) March 1st, 1934; (b) July 1st, 1934; (c) March 1st, 1939.

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Conant tabled the report of the Select Committee of the Ontario Legislature appointed during the Session of 1938 to inquire into certain contracts made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

On motion by Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the same be incorporated in the Journals of the House.

Mr. Macaulay tabled the minority report of the Select Committee of the Ontario Legislature appointed during the Session of 1938 to inquire into certain contracts made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

On motion by Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Challies,

Ordered, That the same be incorporated in the Journals of the House.

Mr. Speaker called the attention of the House to the fact that the presentation of two reports from a Select Committee on a matter referred to the Committee for consideration was contrary to Parliamentary usage and directed that it be noted in the Journals of the House that the present action should not be allowed to constitute a precedent for future Committees.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names.

Referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario as of March 31st, 1939, (a) Permanent, (b) Temporary; excluding any outside Boards and Commissions and the Liquor Control Board.

Mr. Roebuck—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during the year ending 31st October, 1938, as follows: Total energy purchased, 1938, kilowatt hours; Total energy generated, 1938, kilowatt hours.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), April 6th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), April 6th, at 10.30 a.m.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That when this House adjourns the present Sitting thereof, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday next, the 12th instant.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:

Bill (No. 70), intituled, "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 71), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Health Act." *Mr. Kennedy.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 72), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Kennedy.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 73), intituled, "An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 74), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Wednesday next.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek.

Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act.

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

The Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been read,

Mr. Hepburn moved,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House do resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Miller,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated 15th March, 1939, that there be laid before the House,

Copies of all contracts, telegrams, correspondence and memoranda relating to the rights and reorganization of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited since January 1st, 1937. (*Sessional Papers No. 46.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.35 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Copies of any agreements entered into since March 1st, 1938, by the Minister under The Forest Regulations Act, 1936. 2. Copies of any regulations or Orders-in-Council passed since March 1st, 1938, granting or cancelling any timber concessions or limits in the Province of Ontario.

Mr. Henry—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What has been the total amount rebated in relation to the Gasoline Tax during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. 2. How much was outstanding on March 31st, 1939, for rebates claimed on account of Gasoline purchased during the fiscal year ending on that date. 3. How many accounts are outstanding in relation to gasoline purchased during the last fiscal year.

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What persons other than Civil Servants of the Province of Ontario were engaged by the Government to prepare or assist in preparing the submission of the Province of Ontario to the Rowell Commission. 2. What amount has been paid to each of such persons. 3. What amount remains to be paid to each of such persons.

Mr. Arnott—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who constitute the staff of the office of the Public Trustee, and what salaries do they receive. 2. What fees were received through the Public Trustee's Office during

the years 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. Upon whose recommendation does the Public Trustee retain solicitors to represent him outside of Toronto. 4. What firms or solicitors have represented the Public Trustee in Ontario county towns during 1937 and 1938.

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With what Insurance Companies does the Liquor Control Board place its insurance. 2. In what amounts with each company. 3. Through what agencies were the insurance policies issued. 4. What premiums were paid during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, to each of these agencies.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Clerk informed the House that Mr. Speaker was ill and unable to take the Chair.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Mr. Patterson be elected to occupy the Chair and preside over the deliberations of this House during the temporary absence, through illness, of the Honourable the Speaker.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 75), intituled, "The Guelph Railway Act, 1939." *Mr. Houck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 76), intituled, "An Act to amend The Marriage Act." *Mr. Croll.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 77), intituled, "An Act to Recognize in law the Right of Employees to organize for the furtherance of their Lawful Interests." *Mr. Croll*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 78), intituled, "The Village of Lion's Head Act, 1939." *Mr. Houck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 79), intituled, "An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act." *Mr. Houck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 80), intituled, "An Act to amend The Power Commission Act." *Mr. Houck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Roebuck asked the following Question (No. 28):—

What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during the year ending 31st October, 1938, as follows: Total energy purchased, 1938, kilowatt hours; Total energy generated, 1938, kilowatt hours.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:

Total energy purchased, 1938.....	2,114,914,807 kilowatt hours
Total energy generated, 1938.....	5,467,157,766 kilowatt hours*

*Energy generated in 1938 materially curtailed owing to protracted shutdown of Ontario Power plant.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 72), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Duckworth,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Hospitals and Sanatoria of the Province of Ontario for year ending September 30th, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 16.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

ROLAND PATTERSON,
Speaker Pro Tempore.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Simpson—On Friday next—The School Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Mr. Cross—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act.

Mr. Glass—On Friday next—Notice of Amendment to Bill (No. 11), "An Act respecting the City of Toronto" to provide that the words "provided written permission of the Board of Commissioners of Police has first been obtained" in Schedule "A," Section 3, subsection 1 of the said Schedule shall not apply to the said Bill.

Mr. Macaulay—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—How much was paid by the Government during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938, for cutting grass and weeds on the King's Highways.

Mr. Spence—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Government entered into or offered to enter into any arrangement with any licensee holding a license or permit to cut any class of timber upon the lands of the Crown, other than the Abitibi Power and Paper Company, Limited, for the surrender of cash deposits or guarantee company bonds and the substitution therefor of bonds of the licensee in equal amounts; (b) If so what are the names

of such licensees and for what licensed area or areas have such substitutions been arranged or proposed; (c) What was the amount of the original guarantee company bond or cash deposit surrendered and what was the nature and amount of the bond substituted therefor in each case; (d) Were the bonds surrendered in full effect at the time the substitution referred to above was made or were any of them in default in any respect and if in default what was the nature and extent of the default in each case.

Mr. Spence—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Minister of Lands and Forests give his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited; (b) Upon what date was such consent granted; (c) Were the terms of the original agreement made and entered into on January 30th, 1926, between the Crown and the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, in any respect or manner changed or modified, and if so in what respect or respects and to what extent in each case; (d) Is the \$50,000.00 deposit called for in Paragraph 5 of the original agreement still on deposit with the Government or has the amount been reduced by charges due the Government, if so by what amount has the original sum been reduced and on account of what charges were such reductions made; (e) Has the \$200,000.00 guarantee company bond required by the terms of Paragraph 5 of the original agreement been maintained in full effect and if not when was it permitted to lapse or become ineffective; if still in effect upon what date does it expire and what is the name of the guarantee company in whose name it is drawn; (f) What steps has the Government taken since the default of the Nipigon Corporation to enforce the guarantee company bond or to declare the \$50,000.00 cash deposit forfeit to the Crown.

Mr. Spence—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many acres of good agricultural land suitable for homestead purposes are at present available for location by prospective settlers in each of the Townships open for settlement in the District of Cochrane; (b) How many patents have been granted to settlers in each of the above Townships since they were first opened to settlement and how many acres have, in each Township, been patented; (c) How many settlers are there in each of the above Townships who are not in default or in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties who have not yet received their patents; (d) How many settlers' lots are there in each of the above Townships which have been entered upon by prospective settlers and subsequently abandoned or cancelled and which are at present unoccupied; (e) How many settlers in each of the above Townships are in default or are in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties but who are still permitted to remain in occupation of their homesteads; (f) How many acres of good agricultural land are there in each of the above Townships for which no prospective settler has ever applied; (g) How many acres in each of the above Townships are at present under tillage or cultivation; (h) What quantities of pulpwood or other timber are estimated to be standing or growing upon the unpatented portions of each of the above Townships.

Mr. Drew—On Friday next—Resolution: That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests.

Mr. Stewart—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Government provided courses of instruction in primary and secondary schools to feature the teaching of what the Crown and the Flag typifies and the duties and privileges of citizenship under democracy. If so, to what extent.

Mr. Stewart—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Department of Education of Ontario approved of the use of the History Book entitled "Britain's History," The Kingsway Histories from the Age of Elizabeth to Modern Times, by E. Wynn Williams, B.A., carrying a statement in the fly leaf (revised and adapted for Canadian Schools), by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, instructors in the University of Toronto Schools; (b) If so, why. 2. What features merit the approval of the Department. 3. What checks are set up by the Department to examine books before they are approved.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), April 13th, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), April 13th, at 10.30 a.m.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Croll, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Fourth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to Admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister and Solicitor.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa, on the ground that it relates to a religious institution.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa, on the ground that it relates to a religious institution.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 81), intituled, "The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939."
Mr. Croll.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 82), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act."
Mr. McQuesten.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Before the Orders of the Day were called the Honourable the Minister of Education referred to the discussion in the House on the 12th instant of the statements made by Professor Grube of Trinity University, as reported in the Press, in which Professor Grube stated that any War in Europe at the present time would not be a war for democracy and that Canada's expenditure for defence would only be a contribution in support of British Imperialism. The Minister advised the House that the Provincial Government makes no contribution towards the expenditures of Trinity University and therefore can exercise no direct control over the members of the staff. He would, however, discuss the matter with the Principal of Trinity and urge that some action be taken.

In associating himself with the remarks of the Minister, Mr. Drew called attention to certain statements of a similar nature made by Professor Underhill of University College, notably one which had been quoted in a book professing to interpret Canada's attitude towards Empire matters in which he said that Canada had no further interest in the Poppies which grow in Flanders Fields and that if Canada were approached to again take part in the Empire's battles for democracy we "should thumb our noses at the emissaries."

The Honourable the Prime Minister joined in condemning the statements attributed to the two professors and expressed very strongly his view that some drastic action should be taken by the University authorities and failing such action the Legislative Assembly should take action by means of a resolution expressing the desire of the Assembly that action be taken. He pointed out that in the case of Professor Underhill the Government has some authority and can insist on some proper disciplinary action.

· Mr. Hunter moved, seconded by Mr. Anderson,

That Professor Grube of Trinity University and Professor Underhill of University College, for conduct subversive of the purposes for which our Ontario educational institutions are established, should forthwith be dismissed from the posts they now hold and should not again be employed in any similar position.

For the purpose of allowing the Honourable the Minister of Education to discuss the matter with the Governors of the University of Toronto and the Principal of Trinity University, it was on the motion of the Honourable the Prime Minister,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Carr,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Monday next.

The House then adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

ROLLAND PATTERSON,
Speaker Pro Tempore.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act respecting Credit Unions; also, The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Friday), April 14th, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 83), intituled, "The School Law Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Simpson.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 84), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That this Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 85), intituled, "An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act." *Mr. Nixon (Brant).*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroner's Act having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be forthwith again referred to a Committee of the Whole, with instructions to amend the same.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939.

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 4):—

1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows—

1. Farm lands situate in Yarmouth Township, County of Elgin, on Highway No. 4.

2. 467 acres, more or less.

(a)	(b)
James Todd.....	\$13,000.00
G. and M. C. Cross.....	8,000.00
Thos. J. Dale.....	5,000.00
Mary F. Parish.....	10,000.00
Robert M. Hepburn.....	18,800.00 (Arbitration Award)
Hugh Cassidy.....	8,000.00
Edith Sanderson.....	10,000.00

3. \$4,178,558.02.

4. \$5,477,850.33.

5.

6.

7.

SIX PATIENTS' PAVILIONS AND PASSAGES

Name of Contractor	Nature of Contract	Amount of Tender	Amount expended within tenders	Amount of Additions (A) or Deductions (D)
Pigott Construction Co. Ltd....	General trades.....	\$1,040,000.00	\$894,705.78	\$31,305.42 (D)
Pigott Construction Co. Ltd....	Cut stone.....	273,840.00	254,631.53	.....
Purdy, Mansell, Ltd.....	Plumbing for three pavilions.....	58,325.00	50,536.44	716.90 (A)
Geo. C. Abbott Ltd.....	Heating for three pavilions.....	50,343.00	48,730.00	718.12 (A)
Bennett & Wright Ltd.....	Heating for three pavilions.....	50,343.00	47,511.34	68.64 (D)
Eggett & Co.....	Plumbing for three pavilions.....	56,905.00	48,368.56	2.70 (A)
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.....	Electrical.....	38,773.00	33,356.90	356.49 (A)
Otis-Fensom Elevator Co.....	Elevators.....	36,820.00	29,240.00	110.00 (A)

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DINING HALL, KITCHEN, MALE AND FEMALE INFIRMARIES

Name of Contractor	Nature of Contract	Amount of Tender	Amount expended within tenders	Amount of Additions (A) or Deductions (D)
Pigott Construction Co. Ltd.	General trades	1,037,800.00		
Pigott Construction Co. Ltd.	Interior Finishing, Dining Hall and Kitchen	18,620.05	915,710.32	3,742.71 (A)
Goodram Bros.	Plumbing	80,000.00		
Goodram Bros.	Plumbing for equipment, Dining Hall and Kitchen	9,103.00	60,969.57	1,678.45 (A)
Robert Rankin & Sons	Heating and ventilating	96,400.00		
Robert Rankin & Sons	Steam piping and ventilation, Dining Hall and Kitchen	7,596.55	82,129.21	135.58 (A)
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.	Electrical	28,795.00	18,390.25	93.23 (D)
Eureka Refrigerating Co.	Insulation, refrigerator doors, etc.	6,800.00	7,311.24	1,064.32 (A)
Kelvinator of Canada Ltd.	Refrigeration equipment	9,568.00	6,751.69	87.00 (A)
Otis-Fensom Elevator Co.	Elevators	25,671.00	20,699.20	301.00 (D)

POWER HOUSE, EQUIPMENT AND HEATING TUNNELS

Pigott Construction Co. Ltd.	General trades	174,500.00	161,008.34	4,156.99 (A)
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.	Electrical	9,437.00	8,431.79	1,435.45 (A)
B. J. Miller & Co.	Piping and Plumbing	70,936.00	57,402.60	1,252.32 (A)
Darling Bros. Ltd.	Feed water heaters	4,151.00	3,499.20	
H. Morris Crane & Hoist Co.	Overhead crane and rails	1,215.00	1,139.40	
Stephens Adamson Mfg. Co.	Coal and ash handling equipment	30,941.52	29,107.10	269.26 (A)
Horton Steel Works	Water tower	15,900.00	15,343.25	425.00 (A)
Francis Hankin & Co.	Radial chimney	6,593.00	6,366.00	
Francis Hankin & Co.	Water meter	1,007.00	945.00	
E. Leonard & Sons	Boilers and stokers	50,918.00	39,000.00	
Smart Turner Machine Co.	Boiler feed pumps	1,582.55	1,582.55	
Babcock-Wilcox, Goldie-McCulloch, Ltd.	Water pumps	6,323.00	6,648.85	439.00 (A)
Taylor Engineering & Construction Co.	Incinerator	1,550.00	1,507.68	163.00 (A)
Smart Turner Machine Co.	Sewage pumps	4,045.50	3,566.39	219.00 (D)
Universal Plumbing & Heating Co.	Heating and return mains	47,867.75	38,849.78	
Pigott Construction Co. Ltd.	Switch house	1,500.00	1,143.25	75.00 (A)

ADMINISTRATION AND HOSPITAL BUILDINGS

Isley-Wilde Co. Ltd.	General trades	784,495.00	347,512.79	1,189.48 (A)
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.	Electrical	34,122.00	8,243.50	292.28 (D)
Bennett & Wright Ltd.	Plumbing	50,540.00	7,778.93	35.00 (A)
Geo. C. Abbott Ltd.	Plumbing	40,824.00	15,188.67	481.24 (A)
Robert Rankin & Sons Ltd.	Heating	29,692.00	6,059.13	
B. J. Miller & Co.	Heating	40,331.00	12,211.60	3,851.00 (A)

LAUNDRY BUILDING

Pigott Construction Co. Ltd.	General trades	131,600.00	65,508.93	4.44 (A)
Eggett & Co. Ltd.	Heating	16,940.00	2,176.11	
Universal Plumbing & Heating Co.	Plumbing	7,283.75		115.00 (A)
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.	Electrical	15,979.00	2,416.72	
Otis-Fensom Elevator Co.	Elevators	30,100.00	3,910.00	

OUTSIDE SERVICES

5. Name of Contractor	Nature of Contract	Amount of Tender	6. Amount expended within tenders	7. Amount of Additions (A) or Deductions (D)
Carroll-Sharp Construction Co. Ltd.....	Water mains and sewers from site to St. Thomas.....	25,478.00	27,718.20	4,099.18 (A)
Carroll-Sharp Construction Co. Ltd.....	Storm and sanitary sewers to Pavi- lions, Infirmaries and Dining Hall..	46,949.00	76,714.99	19,577.38 (A)
Carroll-Sharp Construction Co. Ltd.....	Storm and sanitary sewers to Hospital and Administra- tion Buildings....	20,547.00		
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.....	Power Distribution..	70,108.00	52,135.45	
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.....	Telephone distribu- tion.....	6,032.78	5,975.20	8.67 (A)
Industrial Construction Co....	Sewers, roads, walks	61,711.75		

NURSES' RESIDENCE, GARAGE AND TUNNELS

Pigott Construction Co. Ltd....	General trades.....	322,000.00		
Adam Clark Ltd.....	Plumbing.....	21,605.00		
Robert Rankin & Sons.....	Heating.....	34,054.00		
Carroll-Sharp Construction...	Sewers and drains..	8,712.00		
Canada Electric Co. Ltd.....	Electrical.....	41,186.00		

FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT

Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Kitchen and Dining Room equipment..	33,066.50	14,900.75	
Lauder & Co. Ltd.....	Steam urns.....	1,335.30	1,000.00	
Wrought Iron Range Co.....	Storage racks and cabinets.....	9,068.00	7,366.25	
Eberhard & Walker.....	Warming cabinets..	2,949.00	1,264.23	
General Steel Wares.....	Kitchen equipment..	14,901.32	13,931.62	30.30 (A)
Canadian Office & School Fur- niture Co.....	Kitchen equipment..	1,672.70	1,672.70	
Provincial Construction Co...	Dining Room tables.	7,550.00	6,550.00	
Office Specialty Co.....	Lockers (dining hall)	294.80		17.20 (A)
Office Specialty Co.....	Blanket warmer cabinets.....	1,294.00		
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Ranges and toasters.	5,020.00		
Wrought Iron Range Co.....	Urns, tables, etc....	6,144.00		
Hobart Mfg. Co.....	Dish washing ma- chines.....	2,496.00		
Francis Hankin & Co.....	Water softener.....	1,376.00		
Canadian Laundry Machinery Co.....	Laundry equipment..	20,156.35		
Beaver Laundry Machinery Co.....	Laundry equipment..	21,511.06		
Canadian Hoffman Machinery Co.....	Laundry equipment..	3,218.40		
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Metal tube furniture	4,551.80		
T. Eaton Co. Ltd.....	Metal tube furniture	1,273.48		
Standard Tube Co.....	Metal tube furniture	286.00		
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Refrigerators.....	6,679.00		
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Electrical fixtures...	3,422.48		271.92 (A)
Dunlop Tire & Rubber Goods	Mattresses.....	4,660.52	2,623.77	
Baldwin Robinson Co.....	Mattress covers.....	1,350.00		
Goodwin Furniture House...	Mattress covers.....	1,350.00		
Baldwin Robinson Co.....	Pillows.....	592.50	592.50	
Goodwin Furniture House...	Pillows.....	592.50	592.50	
Windsor Bedding Co.....	Mattresses.....	11,448.00	11,448.00	
Interior Hardwood Co.....	Furniture.....	4,124.60		21.00 (A)

5. Name of Contractor	Nature of Contract	Amount of Tender	6. Amount expended within tenders	7. Amount of Additions (A) or Deductions (D)
Canadian Office & School Fur- niture Co.....	Furniture.....	14,084.48	.....	.....
Hespeler Furniture Co. Ltd.....	Furniture.....	1,596.40	.....	130.00 (A)
Provincial Construction Co.....	Furniture.....	2,857.92	.....	.....
Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.....	Furniture.....	9,050.78	.....	.....
John C. Mundell Co.....	Furniture.....	4,237.50	.....	.....
North America Bent Chair Co.....	Furniture.....	1,287.00	.....	.....
Aluminum Goods Ltd.....	Kitchen equipment..	1,012.60	1,012.60	.....
Canadian Office & School Fur- niture Co.....	Desks, chairs, etc....	254.60	.....	.....
Sully Aluminum Co.....	Jugs.....	721.00	721.00	.....
General Steel Wares.....	Kitchen equipment..	1,973.59	1,973.59	.....
T. Eaton Co. Ltd.....	Chairs.....	426.00	426.00	.....
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Roasters and sauce pans.....	262.80	.....	.....
Wrought Iron Range Co.....	Kettles, cutlery.....	107.80	107.80	.....
Canadian William Rogers Ltd.....	Silverware.....	94.33	.....	.....
General Steel Wares, Ltd.....	Roasters.....	426.65	426.65	.....
T. Eaton Co. Ltd.....	Kitchen, dining equipment.....	1,715.46	1,608.76	.....
Grand & Toy Ltd.....	Office furniture.....	199.50	199.50	.....
Wrought Iron Range Co.....	Cutlery and dining equipment.....	1,046.51	1,030.71	.....
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Cutlery and dining equipment.....	954.99	80.17	.....
Provincial Construction Co.....	Furniture.....	59.75	.....	.....
T. Eaton Co. Ltd.....	Furniture.....	804.72	.....	.....
Robert Simpson Co. Ltd.....	Furniture.....	2,665.20	.....	.....
Grand & Toy Ltd.....	Furniture.....	531.95	531.95	.....
Goodwin, Baldwin & Robinson.....	Furniture.....	3,756.88	.....	.....
Office Specialty Mfg. Co.....	Furniture.....	525.91	.....	.....
Hay Stationery Co.....	Furniture.....	2,378.35	.....	.....
Vallance, Brown & Co.....	Silverware.....	955.95	.....	.....
McMurtry Hardware Co.....	Trans, etc.....	99.00	.....	.....
Cassidy's Ltd.....	Dishes.....	199.75	.....	.....
McGlashan Clark Co.....	Cutlery.....	165.00	164.15	.....
Textile Products Co.....	Table Cloths, etc....	106.44	106.44	.....
General Steel Wares Ltd.....	Electric washer.....	347.91	347.91	.....
Grand & Toy Ltd.....	Office furniture.....	239.27	.....	.....
Bramwell-Saywell.....	Typewriters and adding machines..	908.54	.....	.....
Wrought Iron Range Co.....	Steel shelving.....	416.00	416.00	.....
Macotta Co. of Canada Ltd.....	Hoods of ranges.....	7,340.00	6,410.99	.....
James Robertson Co.....	Chrome towel rings..	170.60	170.60	.....
Hay Stationery Co.....	Steel shelving.....	1,594.00	1,594.00	.....
Ontario Reformatory Indus- tries.....	Beds and bedding..	45,430.75	28,227.73	.....

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 22):

1. Have the insurance company bonds held by the Province in respect of Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited licensed timber areas been surrendered by the Province, if so give particulars of the bonds so surrendered, amount and name of the company in the case of each bond so surrendered. 2. What bonds if any have been substituted for the insurance company bonds so surrendered.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. No. 2. See Answer to 1.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 23):—

1. Is the waterway for the transportation of wood referred to in the agreement with Pulpwood Supply Company Limited ready for the transportation of wood. If so at what date was it so ready. How much wood has been transported along such waterway. 2. How much wood is ready for transport along the same.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. (a) No; (b) Answered by (a); (c) None. 2. Approximately 30,000 Cords.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 24):—

1. (a) Did the Government, during the operating season 1934-35 advertise for sale the timber or any part thereof standing or growing upon the Townships of Copperfield and/or Bonar or any part or parts thereof; (b) What number of bids were received for said timber, who were the bidders and what price did each of the bidders offer to pay for each kind and class of timber offered for sale; (c) What was the actual price received by the Government for each kind and class of timber sold and what was the name of the successful bidder; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber were cut upon the area in question for each of the operating seasons during which the area was under license or permit to cut.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:

1. (a) Yes, Copperfield Township (Part); (b) One Tender received—Messrs. Clark and Devlin, Jack Pine Tie Timber, \$7.16 per M.ft.BM.; (c) Same as tendered;

	Jack Pine
(d) 1934-35.....	1,083,111 ft.
1935-36.....	2,099,436 ft.

Mr. Freeborn asked the following Question (No. 26):—

What was the total number employed by the Department of Game and Fisheries as of (a) March 1st, 1934; (b) July 1st, 1934; (c) March 1st, 1939

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

(a) 208; (b) 231; (c) 172.

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 29):—

1. What has been the total amount rebated in relation to the Gasoline Tax during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. 2. How much was outstanding

on March 31st, 1939, for rebates claimed on account of gasoline purchased during the fiscal year ending on that date. 3. How many accounts are outstanding in relation to gasoline purchased during the last fiscal year.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

The rush season for applications for refunds of Gasoline Tax comes at the end of the calendar year and there is always a great accumulation of applications at that time. The Chief Inspector of Gasoline Tax and some members of his Staff have been engaged in special work for the Treasury Department, which also had the effect of slowing up Gasoline Tax refunds.

The work is well in hand at the present time, and the number of applications not yet dealt with is, approximately, 5,000. Refund claims are being dealt with as rapidly as circumstances will permit, and it is the intention to dispose of all claims for refunds before the books close for the fiscal year which ended March 31st, 1939. The amounts refunded will, of course, be charged against the Gasoline Tax revenue of the last fiscal year.

In order to avoid the time and trouble of preparing the information asked for in Question No. 29, the Question will be removed from the Order paper.

Mr. Drew asked the following Question (No. 30):—

1. What persons other than Civil Servants of the Province of Ontario were engaged by the Government to prepare or assist in preparing the submission of the Province of Ontario to the Rowell Commission. 2. What amount has been paid to each of such persons. 3. What amount remains to be paid to each of such persons.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Daniel W. Lang, K.C., preparation and presentation of brief; Professor K. Taylor, economist, preparation and presentation of brief; G. Gathercoal, Statistician, preparation of brief; J. Rosenfeld, junior counsel, assisting Mr. Lang. 2. Daniel W. Lang, K.C., fee, \$4,750; disbursements, \$377.32; total, \$5,127.32. Professor K. Taylor, \$3,348.50. G. Gathercoal, \$400. J. Rosenfeld, \$300. 3. No amounts remain to be paid.

On motion of Mr. Drew, seconded by Mr. Macaulay,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Copies of any agreements entered into since March 1st, 1938, by the Minister under The Forest Regulations Act, 1936. 2. Copies of any regulations or Orders-in-Council passed since March 1st, 1938, granting or cancelling any timber concessions or limits in the Province of Ontario.

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Macaulay,

That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests.

And a debate having ensued,

It was on the motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took his Seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker then addressed His Honour as follows:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has, at its present Sittings, passed certain Bills to which, on behalf and in the name of the said Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Acts that had passed as follows:—

An Act to amend The Mining Act.

The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Registry Act.

An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act.

An Act to amend The Apprenticeship Act.

An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act.

An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

An Act respecting Agricultural Societies.

An Act to Confirm Tax Sales.

An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act.

An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act.

An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act.

The Athletic Commission Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939.

The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939.

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Acts.”

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:

Report of The Milk Control Board of Ontario for year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 47.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.05 p.m.

ROLLAND PATTERSON,
Speaker Pro Tempore.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Baker—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Undertakers and Embalmers Act; also, An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act.

Mr. Kidd—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the total grants paid (a) Toronto University; (b) Western University; (c) Queen's University, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938; (d) For the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Kidd—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total grants made by the Government for: (a) The fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938; (b) The fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, for the following purposes—(a) Public School grants, (b) Separate School grants, (c) High School and Collegiate grants, (d) Agricultural School grants, (e) Vocational School grants, (f) University grants or other assistance.

NOTICE

The following Standing Committees will meet in the places and at the times severally mentioned:—

Private Bills Committee, in Committee Room No. 1, on Tuesday, April 18th, at 10.30 a.m.

Legal Bills Committee, in Committee Room No. 1, on Wednesday, April 19th, at 10.30 a.m.

Printing Committee in the Office of the King's Printer on Wednesday, April 19th, at 10.30 a.m.

Municipal Law Committee in Committee Room No. 1, on Thursday, April 20th, at 10.00 a.m.

Agriculture Committee in Committee Room No. 2 on Friday, April 21st, at 10.00 a.m.

No. 25

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Sinclair, seconded by Mr. Ballantyne,

Ordered, That notwithstanding failure to comply with Rule Number 63 of this House regarding the advertising of intention to petition for a private bill, leave be given to present a petition of the Village of Lion's Head, and that the same be now read and received, and that the provisions of Rule No. 63 be suspended so far as they apply to this motion.

The following Petition was read and received:

Of the Corporation of the Village of Lion's Head, praying that an Act may pass to constitute the Village as a Township for the purpose of Part 4 of *The Power Commission Act*.

On motion by Mr. Sinclair, seconded by Mr. Ballantyne,

Ordered, That notwithstanding the time for introducing private bills has elapsed, leave be given to introduce a Bill respecting the Village of Lion's Head, and that the same be now read a first time and do stand referred direct to the Committee on Private Bills irrespective of a report from the Committee on Standing Orders or posting in the Lobby and that the provisions of Rules No. 66 and No. 75 of this House be suspended so far as they relate to this motion.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 87), intituled, "An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act." *Mr. Hipel*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 88), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Roebuck*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 86), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head. *Mr. Sinclair*.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 89), intituled, "An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act." *Mr. Baker*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 90), intituled, "An Act to amend The Embalmers and Funeral Directors Act." *Mr. Baker*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 91), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr. Cross*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 92), intituled, "The Drainage Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 93), intituled, "An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report in connection with Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham, deceased, and the Toronto General Hospital.

The report was then read by the Clerk at the Table as follows:—

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO

THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF ONTARIO

Osgoode Hall, Toronto 2,
April 5th, 1939.Alex. C. Lewis, Esq.,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto.

Dear Sir:—

Re Private Bill No. 25, An Act Respecting
the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham
and the Toronto General Hospital.

The undersigned as commissioners of estate bills have considered the above-mentioned bill, and now report thereon.

We direct attention to the fact that their bill is a private bill introduced on the petition of the Trustees of The Toronto General Hospital, and that the executor of the will and the advisory committee appointed by the will to help and advise the executor are not parties to it.

The testatrix, by her will, conferred upon the Board of Trustees of The Toronto General Hospital a broad discretion in carrying out the purpose for which she entrusted the residue of her estate to the Board. This general purpose, however, she herself plainly declared. The object of the present bill is to authorize the Board to disregard the terms of the will and to commit a breach of the trust declared by it.

In cases where a general intention to devote property to charitable purposes can be found in a will, but the particular charitable purpose designated by the will cannot be given effect, the Court has long had jurisdiction, upon this being judicially determined, and upon notice to all interested persons, to permit the carrying out of the general charitable intention in some altered manner to be approved by the Court. By this method effect is given to the general charitable purpose of the donor and no breach of trust is committed.

The effect of the present bill would be to make an arbitrary disposition of the residue of the estate without considering and determining whether the proposed disposition is within the scope of the general intention of the testatrix as expressed by her will, and without consideration of the interests of other persons in whom rights may, in the circumstances, exist.

We therefore beg to report that in our opinion it is not reasonable that the bill should pass into a law.

As witness our respective hands.

R. S. ROBERTSON,
Commissioner of Estate Bills.
W. E. MIDDLETON,
Commissioner of Estate Bills.

On motion by Mr. Lamport, seconded by Mr. Strachan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Rule No. 74 of this House, Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital, be referred to the Committee on Private Bills for consideration and report irrespective of posting in the Lobby and the report thereon of the Commissioners of Estate Bills, and that the provisions of Rules No. 74 and No. 75 be suspended so far as they relate to this motion.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 7):—

1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. (a) Long Lac Diversion Project.....	\$1,092,616.69
(b) Ogoki Diversion Project.....	28,425.95
On (a) By Hydro-Electric Commission.....	\$1,072,640.00
By Government.....	19,976.69
On (b) By Hydro-Electric Commission.....	\$ 28,425.95
By Government.....	Nil

2. Yes.

On (a) Commitments.....	\$139,360.00
On (a) Estimated Additional Amount required to complete....	78,000.00
On (b) Nil.	

NOTE: Expenditures up to January 31st, 1939.

Mr. Drew asked the following Question (No. 27):—

1. What is the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario as of March 31st, 1939, (a) Permanent, (b) Temporary; excluding any outside Boards and Commissions and the Liquor Control Board.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

(a) Permanent Staff, 6,321; (b) Temporary Staff, 1,418.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Heenan,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act."

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadian Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 78), The Village of Lion's Head Act, 1939, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Hospitals Division on The Ontario Hospitals for the Mentally Ill, Mentally Defective, Epileptic and Habitué Patients for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 15.*)

Also, Report of the Secretary and Registrar of the Province of Ontario with respect to the Administration of The Companies Act, The Extra-Provincial Corporations Act, The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act and The Companies Information Act for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 33.*)

Also, Report of the Game and Fisheries Department, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 9.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Hunter—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act.

Mr. Roebuck—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario in its Niagara System during the year ending 31st October, 1938, giving totals for both that purchased and that generated.

Mr. Roebuck—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—In what banks and in what amount in each were the funds of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission on deposit at the close of the last fiscal year, 31st March, 1938.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Tuesday), April 18th, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Tuesday), April 18th, at 9.30 a.m.

No. 26

MONDAY, APRIL 17TH, 1939

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 18TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Miller, from the Standing Committee on Fish and Game presented their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg leave to present to the House the Minutes of their Meetings held during the current Session and recommend that they be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the House.

Mr. Croll, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Fifth and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting The Crescent School.

Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham, deceased, and the Toronto General Hospital.

Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Township of King.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke.

Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, on the ground that it relates to a religious institution.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, on the ground that it relates to a religious institution.

The following Bills were passed the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West.

Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act.

Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time, the Motion having been put, was carried, and it was

April 18th, 1939
Ordered, That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Strachan,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Health, Ontario, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 14.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Public Welfare, Ontario, for period April 1st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 48.*)

Also, Report of the Ontario Municipal Board for year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 24.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.45 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Downer—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the salary of Mr. Purdom F. Love, Publicity Representative, Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Murphy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have tenders been called for redraping the Legislative Chamber for the King's visit. 2. When were the tenders called. 3. What firms tendered on the work. And what was the amount in each case. 4. To whom was the contract awarded.

Mr. Downer—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much was spent on maintenance and construction of Provincial Highway Number 24, from Shelburn to Collingwood during the past year. 2. How much was spent on snow removal on Provincial Highway Number 24 from Shelburne to Collingwood during the past fiscal year.

Mr. Hipel—On Thursday next—An Act respecting Unemployment Insurance.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Thursday next—An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Legal Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Wednesday), April 19th, at 9.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Printing will meet in the Office of the King's Printer, to-morrow (Wednesday), April 19th, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Wednesday), April 19th, at 11.00 a.m.

No. 27

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Strachan, from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills, presented their report, which was read as follows and adopted.

Your Committee has carefully considered the provisions of the following Bills: Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Optometry Act; Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Limitations Act; Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Mortgages Act; Bill No. 69, An Act respecting the Changing of Names.

Your Committee begs to report Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act without amendment.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act.

Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act.

Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting The Changing of Names.

Mr. Campbell (Kent East), from the Standing Committee on Printing, presented their Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the supplies allowance per Member for the current Session be fixed at \$25.00.

Your Committee recommends the purchase of copies of the Canadian

Parliamentary Guide, the Canadian Almanac and the Canada Year Book for distribution to the Members of the Legislature.

Your Committee recommends that Sessional Papers for the current year be printed in the following quantities.—

Public Accounts.....	2,750
Estimates.....	1,550
Elections.....	1,450
Lands and Forests.....	1,650
Mines.....	3,250
Legal Offices.....	850
Superintendent of Insurance: Abstract.....	1,250
Detailed.....	1,550
Registrar of Loan Corporations: Abstract.....	600
Detailed.....	950
Public Works.....	500
Highways.....	950
Game and Fisheries.....	1,450
Labour.....	1,350
Education.....	1,750
University of Toronto.....	500
Births, Marriages and Deaths.....	450
Department of Health.....	1,700
Ontario Hospital for Mentally Subnormal and Epileptics.....	800
General Hospitals, Hospitals for Incurables, Sanatoria and Red Cross Hospitals.....	1,200
Prisons and Reformatories.....	1,735
Industrial Training Schools.....	2,000
Public Welfare.....	1,650
Liquor Control Board.....	1,450
Department of Agriculture (Minister).....	2,100
Department of Agriculture (Statistics).....	6,450
Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway.....	600
Ontario Municipal Board.....	800
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3,750
Provincial Auditor.....	500
Workmen's Compensation Board.....	2,750
Ontario Veterinary College.....	1,950
Northern Development Act.....	700
Provincial Police.....	600
Ontario Research Foundation.....	1,450
Niagara Parks Commission.....	750
Fire Marshal.....	1,450

By unanimous consent of the House Mr. Macaulay moved, seconded by Mr. Drew,

That the House empower the Public Accounts Committee to investigate and instruct Chester S. Walters to appear before the Public Accounts Committee,

Thursday next, 10.30 a.m., to give evidence with reference to the item "Interim surplus \$236,036.00" appearing in interim statement of gross ordinary revenue, fiscal year April 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939; the item \$95,821,750.00 in interim statement of gross ordinary expenditure for the same fiscal year; the item \$150,872.17 estimated surplus in budget forecast for the fiscal year April 1st, 1939, to March 31st, 1940.

The Motion, having been put, was declared to be lost.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 94), intituled, "The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Roebuck asked the following Question (No. 18):—

1. How many acres of mining lands in Ontario are there: (a) Under patent; (b) Under lease; (c) Staked, prior to patent. 2. What is the rate of annual provincial taxation under each division (a), (b) and (c) above. 3. What is the gross amount received by the Provincial Government during the last completed fiscal year under each of the said divisions. 4. Are any of the said taxes presently in arrears. 5. What is the amount of the present arrears, if any. 6. What is the maximum length of time of such arrears. 7. Has there been any change in the rate of such taxation since 1934. 8. What was the amount of such arrears, if any, in 1934. 9. What was the maximum length of time of such arrears in 1934. 10. How many acres have been cancelled for non-payment of taxes in each year since 1924.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1. (a) Figures for this question not available; (b) Approximately 80,000 acres; (c) Approximately 1,357,000 acres. 2. (a) 5c. per acre; (b) 5c. per acre; (c) Nil. 3. (a) \$45,880.95; (b) \$3,526.51; (c) Nil. 4. Yes. 5. (a) Figures for this question not available; (b) Approximately \$14,000.00; (c) Nil. 6. (a) 6 years; (b) 20 years; (c) Nil. 7. No. 8. (a) Figures for this question not available; (b) \$32,132.46; (c) Nil. 9. (a) 15 years; (b) 15 years; (c) Nil. 10. (a) 1924 to 1935, inclusive, Nil; 1936, 65,880 acres; 1937, 39,460 acres; 1938, 36,440 acres; (b) Nil, but 19,198 acres cancelled for arrears of rentals in 1939, and on these there were arrears of taxes amounting to \$27,928.

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 39):—

1. What are the total grants paid (a) Toronto University; (b) Western University; (c) Queen's University, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938; (d) For the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:—

	(d) For the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938	For the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939
(a) Toronto University (including Royal Ontario Museum).....	\$1,974,660.93	\$2,035,776.67
(b) Western University.....	285,000.00	285,000.00
(c) Queen's University.....	275,000.00	275,000.00

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 40):—

1. What were the total grants made by the Government for: (a) The fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938; (b) The fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, for the following purposes—(a) Public School grants, (b) Separate School grants, (c) High School and Collegiate grants, (d) Agricultural School grants, (e) Vocational School grants, (f) University grants or other assistance.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:

	(a) Public Schools grants	(b) Separate Schools grants	(c) High Schools and Collegiate Inst. grants
Total grants paid by the Government:			
(a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938.....	\$3,189,940.23	\$746,631.69	\$635,177.25
(b) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.....	3,790,609.22	910,208.18	794,325.14
	(d) Agricultural School grants	(e) Vocational School grants	(f) University grants or other assistance, in- cluding Royal Ontario Museum
Total grants paid by the Government:			
(a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938.....	\$225,542.43	\$1,223,355.77	\$2,534,660.93
(b) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.....	295,387.97	1,512,483.71	2,595,776.67

NOTE: The grants for Agriculture for elementary schools are included in the totals for Public and Separate Schools, and Secondary Schools included in the total for Vocational Schools.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Doucett,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Erratum: *Vide* Votes and Proceedings, No. 27, Page 215, Report of the Department of Public Welfare: For *Sessional Papers No. 48* read *Sessional Paper No. 19*.

Report of The Ontario Research Foundation for the year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 48*).

Also, Report of the Ontario Athletic Commission for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 55*).

The House then adjourned at 11.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), April 20th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), April 20th, at 10.00 a.m.

No. 28

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Carr, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law, presented their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully considered the provisions of Bills Numbered 60 and 66 to amend The Municipal Act, and such of their provisions as have been approved have been embodied in a Bill, intituled, "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939."

Your Committee has carefully considered the provisions of Bills Numbered 50 and 57 to amend The Assessment Act, and such of their provisions as have been approved have been embodied in a Bill intituled "The Assessment Amendment Act, 1939."

Your Committee has carefully considered the following Bill and begs to report the same with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Your Committee has also carefully considered Bills Numbered 72 and 74 to amend The Municipal Act and recommend that the same be not further proceeded with.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 95), intituled, "The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939." *Mr. Hipel.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 96), intituled, "An Act respecting Credit Unions." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 97), intituled, "An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company." *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 16):—

1. What amount has been expended for approaches, bridges and highway in connection with the Thousand Islands International Bridge project. 2. Were tenders called for such work. What tenders were received and who were the successful tenderers. 3. What work, if any, was done without tender.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. \$74,651.87—Work on mainland and Hill Island (grading only). 2. Provided for in Contract No. 37-117. Note Question 3. 3. Work done as an extension to Contract No. 37-117—Campbell Construction Company, at their tendered prices.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 19):—

1. What is the total cost of the centre road from Brown's Line to the Town of Burlington from November 1st, 1934, to date; (a) What is the total mileage; (b) Who are the contractors who performed the work.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:

1. 3,025,172.89 including bridges and other structures and property acquired; (a) 23.6 miles; (b) Archibald & Birdsall, Curran & Briggs, Warren Bituminous Paving Company, W. G. Campbell Eng. & Construction Company, R. Honsberger Construction Company, Honsberger Construction Company, Dufferin Paving Company, A. Cope & Sons Ltd., Vernon Construction Company, Carter-Halls Aldinger Company, W. A. Mackey, H. M. Scott Limited, Patterson Paving Company.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 20):—

1. What date was the work commenced on Highway No. 2, from the east limit of the City of Belleville to the east limit of the four-lane highway; (a) Was the work done by contract or day labour; (b) What work is contemplated on this section this year; (c) What is the total cost of the work to date.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:

1. July 2nd, 1936; (a) Grading and structures by contract—fencing and metalling, day labour; (b) No decision as to paving pending further study of new grade as to settlement; (c) \$173,170.97 including property and structures.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 21):—

1. What is the total cost for the grading and culvert construction on new four-lane highway in Ontario County; (a) Were there any extensions on the original contract; (b) Who are the contractors.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. \$885,007.20; (a) No; (b) Northland Contracting Company, Limited, Don Construction Limited, The Bergman Construction Company, Limited.

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 31):—

1. Who constitute the staff of the office of the Public Trustee, and what salaries do they receive. 2. What fees were received through the Public Trustee's Office during the years 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. Upon whose recommendation does the Public Trustee retain solicitors to represent him outside of Toronto. 4. What firms or solicitors have represented the Public Trustee in Ontario county towns during 1937 and 1938.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:

1. Name—	Yearly Salary	Permanent or Temporary
Middleton, A. N.....	\$6,000	Permanent
Jones, H. S.....	3,750	Permanent
Mainer, R. C.....	3,450	Permanent
Adams, G. F.....	1,900	Permanent
Clark, H. S.....	1,800	Permanent
Walker, C.....	1,600	Permanent
Winkler, S.....	1,800	Permanent
Draper, I. N.....	2,200	Permanent
Williams, B. G.....	1,900	Permanent
McCrea, R.....	1,600	Permanent
Maginnis, P.....	2,000	Permanent
Puley, P. M.....	2,400	Permanent
Jordan, J. S.....	1,900	Permanent
Butler, M. G.....	1,300	Permanent
Hindle, C. G.....	1,600	Permanent
Gelinas, E. A.....	1,125	Permanent
Koznets, D.....	1,050	Permanent
Cook, S. F.....	825	Permanent
Lundy, J. S.....	900	Permanent
Thurgarland, M. E.....	1,500	Permanent

	Agent	Alternative
Fort William.....	Dowler & Dowler	
Galt.....	J. B. Dalzell, K.C.....	J. M. Jamieson
Georgetown.....	LeRoy Dale, K.C.	
Geraldton.....	A. C. Schwartz	
Glencoe.....	W. D. J. Moss	
Goderich.....	L. E. Dancey, K.C.	
Gore Bay.....	J. H. Craig.....	W. J. Golden (Little Current)
Gravenhurst.....	E. W. Clairmont, K.C.	
Guelph.....	R. S. Clark, K.C.....	Ralph C. Bone
Haileybury.....	J. A. Legris, K.C.....	Ralph Ramsden (New Liskeard)
Hamilton.....	{ G. A. Snyder John A. Soule, K.C..... }	L. McCombs
Harriston.....	J. H. Shannon	
Ingersoll.....	Royden G. Start	
Kenora.....	Earle C. Popham	
Kingston.....	J. C. Reynolds, K.C.....	Cartwright & Cartwright
Kirkland Lake.....	M. G. Hunt, K.C.	
Kitchener.....	G. M. Bray.....	H. J. Sims, K.C.
Lindsay.....	A. M. Fulton, K.C.....	A. T. Lacey
Little Current.....	W. J. Golden	
London.....	{ J. F. McMillan J. G. Gillanders, K.C. }	Joseph Jeffery (work in Middlesex outside of Lon- don), D. MacCallum (alt. second to Jeffery).
L'Orignal.....	Henri Proulx.....	R. Labrosse (Vankleek Hill)
Meaford.....	Colin E. Bennett	
Milton.....	W. I. Dick, K.C.	
Mount Dennis.....	F. A. Silverman (sub-agent for Toronto)	
Mount Forest.....	R. O. Kilgour	
Napanee.....	G. F. Smith.....	W. S. Herrington, K.C.
Newmarket.....	Joseph Vale	
Niagara Falls.....	Alex. Fleming	
North Bay.....	E. A. Tilley	
Oakville.....		W. N. Robinson, K.C. (Halton County)
Orangeville.....	D. E. Dean (Shelburne)	
Oshawa.....	A. F. Annis.....	R. A. Wallace
Ottawa.....	John P. Madden	
Owen Sound.....	W. P. Telford, K.C.	
Paisley.....	D. Forrester, K.C.	
Parry Sound.....	A. D. Meldrum.....	H. E. Stone, K.C.
Pembroke.....	J. G. Forgie.....	T. Mulcahy
Perth.....	Hugh C. Willson.....	H. A. O'Donnell
Peterborough.....	Hall, Hall & Stevenson.....	Hall & Carley
Petrolia.....	E. A. Shaunessy.....	I. Greenizen, K.C.
Port Arthur.....	P. V. Ibbetson.....	A. J. McComber, K.C.
Port Dover.....	M. Macdonald (Alt. for Simcoe)	
Port Elgin.....	W. R. Tomlinson, M.P.	
Port Hope.....	D. H. Chisholm, K.C.	
Preston.....	P. J. Flynn	

Agent

Alternative

St. Catharines.....	Frank J. Flynn.....	R. B. Johnston, K.C.
St. Thomas.....	E. Donald Smith.....	J. R. Davidson, K.C.
Sarnia.....	R. W. Gray, K.C.....	N. S. Gurd, K.C.
Sault Ste. Marie.....	H. S. Hamilton, K.C.....	{ Jas. McEwen W. S. Maguire, K.C.
Shelburne.....	D. E. Dean	
Simcoe.....	W. M. Macdonald (Port Dover).....	A. A. Winter, K.C.
Smith's Falls.....	Donald C. Smith	
Stratford.....	J. M. King.....	J. M. Riddell, K.C.
Sturgeon Falls.....	J. A. Cousineau (Timmins)	
Sudbury.....	G. E. Buchanan, K.C.	
Thessalon.....	F. A. Clement	
Toronto.....	James E. Day, K.C.....	{ H. H. Donald F. A. Silverman (Mt. Dennis)
Swansea.....	C. C. Downey	
Timmins.....	T. A. Macdonald.....	D. Kester, K.C.
Vankleek Hill.....	R. LaBrosse.....	H. Proulx (L'Orignal)
Walkerton.....	McNab & McNab	
Welland.....	R. Boak Burns	
Weston.....	J. H. Gray	
Windsor.....	W. E. Kelly.....	{ W. J. S. Knox Keith Laird
Wingham.....	R. S. Hetherington	
Woodstock.....	F. L. Pearson, K.C.	

LIST OF AGENTS, 1938

The only changes from 1937 are as follows:—

Agent

Alternative

Fort William.....	A. H. Dowler—made a County Judge	
Galt.....	J. M. Jamieson.....	J. B. Dalzell, K.C.
Kenora.....	L. A. McLennan instead of E. C. Popham appointed Judge.	
Kingston.....	Herrington & Slater.....	Cartwright & Cartwright
Peterborough.....	R. J. Carley.....	W. B. Gordon
Port Arthur.....	{ P. V. Ibbetson M. McComber appointed Judge	
Toronto.....	James E. Day, K.C.....	{ H. H. Donald F. A. Silverman (Mt. Dennis) J. M. McIntosh (2nd alt.)

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 33):—

How much was paid by the Government during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938, for cutting grass and weeds on the King's Highways.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

The total expenditure for Roadside Maintenance amounts to \$227,453.05 which covers the cutting of grass, hay or weeds, removing leaves and papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, the trimming of trees and shrubs, etc. This is an average of \$32.57 per mile.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 35):—

1. (a) Did the Minister of Lands and Forests give his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited; (b) Upon what date was such consent granted; (c) Were the terms of the original agreement made and entered into on January 30th, 1926, between the Crown and the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, in any respect or manner changed or modified, and if so in what respect or respects and to what extent in each case; (d) Is the \$50,000.00 deposit called for in Paragraph 5 of the original agreement still on deposit with the Government or has the amount been reduced by charges due the Government, if so by what amount has the original sum been reduced and on account of what charges were such reductions made; (e) Has the \$200,000.00 guarantee company bond required by the terms of Paragraph 5 of the original agreement been maintained in full effect and if not when was it permitted to lapse or become ineffective; if still in effect upon what date does it expire and what is the name of the guarantee company in whose name it is drawn; (f) What steps has the Government taken since the default of the Nipigon Corporation to enforce the guarantee company bond or to declare the \$50,000.00 cash deposit forfeit to the Crown.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. (a) No; (b) See answer to (a); (c) Yes; see agreement printed in Minister's report for fiscal year ending 31st March, 1938, pages 77 to 80 inclusive; (d) \$50,000.00 is still on deposit; (e) No; bond as required by terms of original agreement dated 30th January, 1926, never lodged. Former Government never compelled production of Bond; (f) (1) See answer to (e); (2) Cash of \$50,000.00 is retained on deposit by present Government under agreement referred in answer to (c).

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 43):—

1. What is the salary of Mr. Purdom F. Love, Publicity Representative, Department of Agriculture.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. The salary of Mr. Purdom F. Love, Editor of Publications, Department of Agriculture, is \$2,000 a year.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 45):—

1. How much was spent on maintenance and construction of Provincial Highway Number 24, from Shelburne to Collingwood, during the past year.
2. How much was spent on snow removal on Provincial Highway Number 24 from Shelburne to Collingwood during the past fiscal year.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Maintenance, \$23,836.77; construction, \$2,075.23.
2. \$10,929.45—in-cludes snow removal, sanding and purchase of snow fence.

Mr. Roebuck asked the following Question (No. 41):—

What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario in its Niagara System during the year ending 31st October, 1938, giving totals for both purchased and that generated.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

Total energy purchased, 1938.....	1,828,798,430 kilowatt hours
Total energy generated, 1938.....	3,598,743,350 kilowatt hours*

*Energy generated materially curtailed owing to protracted shutdown of Ontario Power Plant.

Highways

The Honourable the Minister of ~~Lands and Forests~~ required that Question (No. 17) be made the subject of a Motion for a Return.

On motion by Mr. Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Dunbar,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case.

12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiations. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.

The Honourable the Prime Minister pointed out that the preparation of answers to Questions (No. 34 and 36) would require an amount of time and labour that would not be justified and on his motion the said Questions were ordered to be removed from the Order Paper.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time,

Mr. Kidd moved in Amendment, seconded by Mr. Murphy, That all the words of the Motion after the word "That" be struck out and the following substituted therefor:—

"This House regrets the failure of the Government to reduce taxation and to deal with the serious unemployment in this Province."

And the Amendment having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Elgie	Macaulay
Arnott	Frost	Murphy
Black	Henry	Reynolds
Challies	Hepburn	Spence
Doucett	(Prince Edward Lennox)	Stewart
Drew	Kennedy	Summerville
Duckworth	Kidd	Welsh—21
Dunbar		

NAYS

Anderson	Bradley	Cholette
Baker	Brownridge	Conacher
Ballantyne	Campbell	Conant
Bégin	(Sault Ste. Marie)	Cooper
Belanger	Campbell	Croll
Bethune	(Kent, East)	Croome
Blakelock	Carr	Cross

NAYS—Continued

Dewan	Hepburn	McEwing
Dickson	(Elgin)	McQuesten
Elliott	Hipel	Newland
Fairbank	Hunter	Nixon
Fletcher	King	(Brant)
Freeborn	Kirby	Nixon
Gallagher	Lamport	(Temiskaming)
Gardhouse	Leduc	Oliver
Glass	Macfie	Patterson
Gordon	MacGillivray	Roebuck
Guthrie	MacKay	Simpson
Habel	Mercer	Smith
Hagey	Miller	Strachan
Haines	Murray	Trottier—59.
Heenan		

PAIRS

Baird	—	Duncan
Downer	—	Houck

The Main Motion having then been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Dickson	Leduc
Baker	Elliott	Macfie
Ballantyne	Fairbank	MacGillivray
Bégin	Fletcher	MacKay
Belanger	Freeborn	Mercer
Bethune	Gallagher	Miller
Blakelock	Gardhouse	Murray
Bradley	Glass	McEwing
Brownridge	Gordon	McQuesten
Campbell	Guthrie	Newland
(Sault Ste. Marie)	Habel	Nixon
Campbell	Hagey	(Brant)
(Kent, East)	Haines	Nixon
Carr	Heenan	(Temiskaming)
Cholette	Hepburn	Oliver
Conacher	(Elgin)	Patterson
Conant	Hipel	Roebuck
Cooper	Hunter	Simpson
Croll	King	Smith
Croome	Kirby	Strachan
Cross	Lamport	Trottier—59.
Dewan		

NAYS

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Doucett	(Prince Edward Lennox)	Stewart
Drew	Kennedy	Summerville
Duckworth	Kidd	Welsh—21.
Dunbar		

PAIRS

Duncan	—	Baird
Houck	—	Downer

The House according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the year ending March 31st, 1940, the following sum:—

131. To defray the expenses of the Office of Lieutenant-Governor. . . . \$10,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of The Niagara Parks Commission, 1936 and 1937.
(*Sessional Papers No. 40.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House dated 14th April, 1939, That there be laid before the House a Return of: 1. Copies of any agreements entered into since March 1st, 1938, by the Minister under The Forest Regulations Act, 1936. 2. Copies of any regulations or Orders-in-Council passed since March 1st, 1938, granting or cancelling any timber concessions or limits in the Province of Ontario.
(*Sessional Papers No. 49.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Monday next—An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Lamport—On Monday next—Notice of Amendment to Bill (No. 70), "The Municipal Amendment Act," to provide that Section 4 of Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act, be added to the said Bill (No. 70).

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Monday next—Resolution—That the House will on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolutions:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or building of bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to

by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) Location of work; (f) Mileage or length of construction.

N.B.—No details need be given of extensions covered in Sessional Paper No. 56, 20th Legislature, 2nd Session, 1938.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Friday), April 21st, at 10.00 a.m.

No. 29

THURSDAY, APRIL 20TH, 1939

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Drew asked the following Question (No. 32):—

1. With what Insurance Companies does the Liquor Control Board place its insurance. 2. In what amounts with each company. 3. Through what agencies were the insurance policies issued. 4. What premiums were paid during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, to each of these agencies.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Name of Insurance Companies	2. Amounts with each Company	3. Name of Agencies
Alliance Insurance Co. of Philadelphia	Marine Insurance on Import Shipments	E.S. Little Insurance Agency, Toronto, Ont.
Dominion of Canada General Insurance Co.	Burglary and Hold-Up Insurance— \$464,050	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto Ont.
Dominion of Canada General Insurance Co.	Automobile Non-ownership Liability— Maximum \$40,000	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto, Ont.
General Accident Assur- ance Co. of Canada	Elevator Liability—Maximum \$10,000	C. E. Thomson & Co., Hamilton, Ont.
The Globe Indemnity Co. of Canada	Elevator Liability—Maximum \$10,000	The O'Brien Agency, Fort William, Ont.
Guardian Insurance Co. of Canada	Elevator Liability—Maximum \$25,000	M. D. Richardson, Toronto
Indemnity Insurance Co. of North America	Elevator Liability—Maximum \$10,000	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto, Ont.
Indemnity Insurance Co. of North America	Depositors Forgery Bond—Maximum \$50,000	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto, Ont.
Lloyds—Anglo-Canadian Underwriters Ltd.	Automobile Fleet Insurance— Fire and Theft—Maximum \$6,700 Public Liability—Maximum \$40,000 Property Damage—Maximum \$5,000 Collision—Amount of damage less \$100	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

1. Name of Insurance Companies	2. Amounts with each Company	3. Name of Agencies
London Guarantee & Accident Co., Limited	Employees Fidelity Bond—\$1,445,000	T. W. Foran, Toronto, Ont.
The Ocean Accident & Guarantee Corp., Ltd.	Elevator Liability—Maximum \$10,000	C. Pothier & Son, Ottawa, Ont.
The Western Assurance Company	Inland Cargo Insurance \$1,237,065.21	Romeyn & Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.
4. Premiums paid during year ending March 31st, 1939		Name of Agencies
\$4,565.66	.....	E. S. Little Insurance Agency, Toronto
802.38	.....	G. Angus German, Limited, Toronto
1,814.14	.....	T. W. Foran, Toronto
371.12	.....	Romeyn & Co., Limited, Toronto

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act, having been read,

And a Debate having arisen, after some time, the Motion having been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Dickson	Macfie
Baker	Elliott	MacGillivray
Ballantyne	Fairbank	MacKay
Belanger	Freeborn	Mercer
Bethune	Gallagher	Miller
Blakelock	Gardhouse	Murray
Bradley	Glass	McQuesten
Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie)	Habel	Newland
	Hagey	Nixon
	Haines	(Brant)
Carr	Heenan	Nixon
Cholette	Hepburn	(Temiskaming)
Conacher	(Elgin)	
Conant		Patterson
Cooper	Hipel	Roebuck
Croll	Hunter	Simpson
Croome	Lamport	Smith
Cross	Leduc	Trottier—48.
Dewan		

NAYS

Black	Frost	Macaulay
Doucett	Henry	Reynolds
Drew	Kennedy	Stewart
Duckworth	Kidd	Summerville—12.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 97), An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 94), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Township of King.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole ^House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside.

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadian Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had direct him to report the several Bills without amendments.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Preliminary Report on The Mineral Production in Ontario in 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 50.*)

Also, Report of The Niagara Parks Commission for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 51.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many men are employed on Highway No. 24 between Collingwood, Shelburne and Stayner. What are their names and the amount received by each in wages from October 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939. 2. How many men are employed on Highway 26 between Collingwood, Stayner and Thornbury. Give names and amounts received by each for the period April 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Acres—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Provincial Treasurer since 1934 utilized the provision of section 20 of The Succession Duty Act and applied to any Surrogate Court Judge to make inquiries into the matters mentioned in section 20. 2. If so, what Surrogate Court Judge of what Counties have so acted.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Monday, the 24th day of April next, at 10.00 a.m.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, APRIL 24TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That there be added to Rule Number 63 of the Revised Rules adopted by this House on Monday, April 3rd, of the present year, the following Section:—

(2) Except with the unanimous consent of the House, no petition for a Private Bill shall be received by nor shall any Bill be introduced in the House, the purpose of which is to admit any person to the practice of law or medicine or any other profession contrary to the laws governing and the rules and regulations of the Law Society of Upper Canada as regards the practice of law, or the laws governing and the rules and regulations of the Colleges and Universities incorporated under the laws of this Province as regards other professions for graduation in which proper courses of study and qualifications are prescribed by such Colleges and Universities.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 98), intituled, "An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 37):—

Has the Government provided courses of instruction in primary and second-

ary schools to feature the teaching of what the Crown and the Flag typifies and the duties and privileges of citizenship under democracy. If so, to what extent.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:—

Courses of Study provide for instruction regarding the Crown, the British Empire, and citizenship under democracy. THE GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR PUBLIC AND SEPARATE SCHOOLS make special provision for instruction regarding the Flag. The Regulation reads:

“(9) The School Flag shall be flown on Public Holidays and on such other occasions as the Board may determine. When not so flown, it shall be displayed on the wall of the schoolroom; and, as opportunity may offer, its history and significance shall be suitably explained to the pupils by the teacher. When there are more rooms than one, the Board may determine in which of them the flag is to be displayed or it may provide a flag for each room.”

The Courses of Study in junior grades places chief emphasis upon the attributes of the good citizen. In senior elementary grades, Canadian and British History form a background for the study of such topics as the Maintenance of Democracy and Bonds of Unity in the British Commonwealth. Listed among these bonds are Loyalty to One King, and Common Love of freedom, justice and democracy.

The Grade IX Course in High School includes the study of the British Empire, the significance of the Coronation, and British confidence in liberty and democratic institutions. A very detailed course in Citizenship is outlined for Grade X under three headings: (1) Citizenship, its Privileges and Responsibilities, (2) The Meaning and Purpose of Democratic Government, and (3) The Machinery of Canadian Government.

The Empire Day Leaflet distributed to all schools in 1938 had as its themes the duties of citizenship and the significance of the Union Jack.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 38):—

1. (a) Has the Department of Education of Ontario approved of the use of the History Book entitled “Britain’s History,” The Kingsway Histories from the Age of Elizabeth to Modern Times, by E. Wynn Williams, B.A., carrying a statement in the fly leaf (revised and adapted for Canadian Schools), by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, instructors in the University of Toronto Schools; (b) If so, why. 2. What features merit the approval of the Department. 3. What checks are set up by the Department to examine books before they are approved.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:—

1. (a) “Britain’s History,” by G. M. Wrong, and published by The Copp Clark Co., Ltd., is the text-book authorized in History for Grade IX. “Britain’s Story,” by E. Wynn Williams, revised by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, is not an

authorized text-book, but it is listed in the Course of Study as one of twenty-nine supplementary books which may be read in connection with the History course in this Grade; (b) "Britain's Story" was recommended for the supplementary reading list by a Committee of experienced teachers appointed to advise regarding the Course of Study in History. 2. "Britain's Story" was recommended as a reference book by reason of the fact that it contains information supplementary to that contained in the authorized text-book. The author of "Britain's Story" is a retired Inspector of Schools in England. The books of the Kingsway series are used extensively in the schools of England. 3. Books recommended for supplementary use in the Courses of Study are first approved by Committees of experienced teachers appointed to advise regarding such courses. Books authorized as text-books are carefully examined by members of the staff of the Department before authorization is granted.

Mr. Roebuck asked the following Question (No. 42):—

In what banks and in what amount in each were the funds of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission on deposit at the close of the last fiscal year, 31st March, 1938.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

It is not considered in the public interest to publish this information.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 44):—

1. Have tenders been called for redraping the Legislative Chamber for the King's visit. 2. When was the tenders called. 3. What firms tendered on the work. And what was the amount in each case. 4. To whom was the contract awarded.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. February 2nd, 1939.

3.

	Gallery Arches, Fronts and Windows	North Wall	South Windows	Total Tender
	(a)	(b)	(c)	
R. Simpson Co. Ltd.....	\$2,295.00	\$1,340.00	\$1,454.00	\$5,089.00
T. Eaton Co. Ltd.....	2,543.40	1,211.92	1,365.72	5,121.00
Ward Price Ltd.....	3,207.16	1,984.47	1,562.52	6,754.15

4. Robert Simpson Co. Ltd., Item (a) \$2,295.00.

T. Eaton Co. Ltd., Items (b) and (c), \$2,577.64.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside.

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act, having been read,

Mr. Roebuck moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and a Debate having ensued, after some time,

The Motion, having been put, was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Marriage Act, having been read,

Mr. Croll moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and a Debate having ensued, after some time,

The Motion, having been put, was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Municipal Act, having been read,

Mr. Roebuck moved that the Bill be now read a second time,

And the Motion having been put was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 90), An Act to amend The Embalmers and Funeral Directors Act, having been read,

Mr. Baker moved that the Bill be now read a second time.

And the Motion having been put was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 92), The Drainage Law Amendment Act, 1939, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 95), The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting Credit Unions.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Township of King.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School.

Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund.

Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital.

Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr.

Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

And the House having continued to sit until twelve of the clock midnight,

Tuesday, April 25th, 1939.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 97), An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act, and, after some time spent therein,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated April 20th, 1939,

That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiations. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not. (*Sessional Papers No. 52.*)

The House then adjourned at 12.20 a.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Arnott—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much has Mr. A. G. Slaght, K.C., received in legal fees from the Government since July 1st, 1934, giving total for all services. 2. Does Mr. Slaght still receive a retaining fee from the T. & N.O. Railway, and if so, how much.

Mr. Arnott—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much did the new bridge on Highway No. 11 situated in Burks Falls and opened in 1938, cost; (a) What was the amount of the original contract; (b) If changes were made what did these alterations cost; (c) How many engineers, surveyors, inspectors and superintendents were employed in connection with this structure.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Tuesday), April 25th, at 10.00 a.m.

No. 31

MONDAY, APRIL 24TH, 1939

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 25TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Township of King.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School.

Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund.

Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital.

Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head.

Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act.

Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names.

Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act.

Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act.

Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

Bill (No. 97), An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company.

Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act.

Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 98).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 98), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 82), An

Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress and ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

Mr. Cooper presented the Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has had produced before it documents and correspondence and heard evidence in connection with the Ontario Mental Hospital, St. Thomas; the appointment of Dr. W. D. Smith, as Superintendent of the Ontario Mental Hospital, St. Thomas; and matters relative to the revenue and expenditures of Ontario for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938.

Your Committee begs to report the evidence taken, transcript of which is hereto attached, and exhibits filed.

Your Committee sat on the following dates: April 14th, April 18th, April 19th, April 20th, April 21st, April 24th, and April 25th, 1939.

Your Committee examined the following witnesses: Dr. Bernard T. McGhie, Deputy Minister of Health; R. A. McAllister, Deputy Minister of Public Works; Dr. W. D. Smith, Superintendent of Ontario Mental Hospital, St. Thomas; George Norman Williams, Assistant Architect, Department of Public Works; Chester S. Walters, Deputy Provincial Treasurer; R. M. Smith, Deputy Minister of Highways.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 77), An Act to Recognize in law the Right of Employees to Organize for the Furtherance of their Lawful Interests, having been read, and a Debate having ensued, after some time, the Motion was put and declared in the affirmative.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 81), The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939, having been read, and a Debate having ensued, after some time, the Motion was put and was declared to be lost.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

And the House having continued to sit until twelve of the clock midnight,

Wednesday, April 26th, 1939.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 91), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 94), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 95), The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting Credit Unions, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 98), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 70),

The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House then adjourned at 3.05 a.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

No. 32

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26TH, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming) presented the Report of the Committee on Agriculture which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee met on three occasions. At its first meeting on March 23rd, Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming) was re-elected chairman on motion of Mr. Duncan and Mr. Duckworth.

Mr. Dewan, Minister of Agriculture, addressed the meeting, expressing opposition to bonuses or subsidies to agriculture on the ground that the industry could not be legislated into prosperity.

Mr. Kennedy addressed the Committee advocating expansion of co-operatives in marketing of agricultural products.

At its second meeting on March 31st, your Committee discussed the subject of inclusion of poultry in the Livestock Protection Act and decided that no action be taken. Mr. Dewan acquainted the Committee with the considerable loss occasioned Ontario farmers through damage to hides by prevalence of the warble fly. The Committee recommended, on motion of Mr. Dickson and Mr. Gardhouse, that the Department undertake an educational campaign for elimination of the warble fly, but that no compulsory legislation be introduced this session.

Mr. Carroll, Superintendent of Agricultural Societies, reported to the Committee that the Eastern Canada Agricultural Conference at Montreal strongly favoured legislation permitting producers to direct and regulate marketing of their own products.

At its third meeting on April 6th your Committee considered the problem of trucking of livestock, fruit and vegetables.

Mr. Hodgetts, of the Horticulture Branch, told the Committee that trucking of fruit and vegetables had upset the market for this produce and advised that bonding of truckers had been abandoned because their financial position made it impossible to secure bonds.

Mr. Cassin, of the Agriculture Department, advocated resumption of compulsory inspection and grading of potatoes.

Mr. Baker urged that Ontario potato growers be encouraged to grow more extensively from certified seed to raise the quality so as to compete on a more equal footing with potatoes from the Maritimes.

William Newman, of the Department of Agriculture, reported to your Committee that under present regulations licenses issued by the Ontario Department of Highways to trucks for transportation of livestock, limit the distance which such trucks may transport livestock to 100 miles, except where the owner of the truck is also the owner of the livestock being transported. He advised that application for removal of this restriction was now before the Ontario Municipal Board. The Committee recommended, on motion of Mr. Freeborn and Mr. Oliver, removal of all distance limitation in licenses to trucks for transport of livestock, and ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Ontario Municipal Board.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act.

Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act.

Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act.

Bill (No. 91), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 94), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

Bill (No. 95), The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting Credit Unions.

Bill (No. 98), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the year ending March 31st, 1940, the following sums:—

67. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Health.....	\$ 204,430.00
68. To defray the expenses of the Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nursing Board.....	37,950.00
69. To defray the expenses of the Dental Service Branch.....	14,830.00
70. To defray the expenses of the Inspection for Training Schools for Nurses Board.....	17,750.00
71. To defray the expenses of the Preventable Diseases Branch..	236,350.00
72. To defray the expenses of the Venereal Diseases Branch....	108,900.00
73. To defray the expenses of the Tuberculosis Prevention Branch	184,330.00
74. To defray the expenses of the Industrial Hygiene Branch....	58,950.00
75. To defray the expenses of the Sanitary Engineering Branch..	49,050.00
76. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Branch.....	128,100.00
77. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Divisions Branch..	66,280.00
78. To defray the expenses of the Hospitals General Office—Grants, etc., General Expenses—Ontario Hospitals.....	4,043,600.00
79. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brockville...	430,400.00
80. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Cobourg....	174,450.00
81. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Fort William	74,940.00
82. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Hamilton...	546,700.00
83. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Kingston....	467,780.00
84. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, London.....	611,940.00
85. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto	607,270.00
86. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto (Concord Unit).....	51,150.00
87. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Orillia.....	560,950.00
88. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Penetanguishene.....	260,050.00
89. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas...	631,600.00
90. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Toronto....	457,040.00
91. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Whitby.....	719,480.00
92. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Woodstock..	385,650.00
93. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Psychiatric Hospital..	129,030.00
94. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brampton...	30,000.00
95. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Port Arthur.	20,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-day.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 48):—

1. Has the Provincial Treasurer since 1934 utilized the provision of section 20 of The Succession Duty Act and applied to any Surrogate Court Judge to make inquiries into the matters mentioned in section 20. 2. If so, what Surrogate Court Judge of what Counties have so acted.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. The Surrogate Court Judges of the Counties of Ontario, Lincoln and York.

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 49):—

1. How much has Mr. A. G. Slaght, K.C., received in legal fees from the Government since July 1st, 1934, giving total for all services. 2. Does Mr. Slaght still receive a retaining fee from the T. & N.O. Railway, and if so, how much.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. 1934 and 1935, see Answer to Question 12, Votes and Proceedings 1936, page 243; 1936 and 1937, see Answer to Question 6, Votes and Proceedings 1938, page 114; 1938, \$3,038.80 was paid to Messrs. Slaght, Ferguson & Carrick as fees and disbursements in connection with work for the Succession Duty Office, and \$5,005.18 was paid to Mr. Slaght by the Niagara Parks Commission in connection with the arbitration proceedings with the International Railway Company. 2. As Counsel to the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway Commission, Mr. Slaght receives a retainer of \$400 a month, which is the same amount as was previously paid to the firm of Tilley, Johnson, Thomson & Parmenter for similar services.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the year ending March 31st, 1940, the following sums:—

1. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Agriculture.....	\$ 202,126.25
2. To defray the expenses of the Statistics and Publications Branch.....	11,880.00
3. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch.....	125,400.00
4. To defray the expenses of the Live Stock Branch.....	95,125.00
5. To defray the expenses of the Institutes Branch.....	75,175.00

6. To defray the expenses of the Dairy Branch.....	\$ 130,800.00
7. To defray the expenses of the Milk Control Board.....	51,200.00
8. To defray the expenses of the Fruit Branch.....	102,449.00
9. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Representatives Branch.....	350,350.00
10. To defray the expenses of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds.....	41,175.00
11. To defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Markets.....	31,125.00
12. To defray the expenses of the Kemptville Agricultural School.....	95,492.00
13. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Veterinary College.....	70,500.00
14. To defray the expenses of the Western Ontario Experimental Farm.....	29,300.00
15. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard.....	13,020.00
16. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, Hearst..	5,500.00
17. To defray the expenses of the Northern Ontario Branch.....	52,225.00
18. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Agricultural College...	793,614.00
19. To defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Market Branch.....	25,000.00
96. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Highways.....	401,800.00
97. To defray the expenses of the Division Offices, Department of Highways.....	325,000.00
98. To defray the expenses of the Municipal Roads Branch.....	75,000.00
99. To defray the expenses of the Gasoline Tax Branch.....	50,000.00
100. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	20,000.00
101. To defray the expenses of the Equipment Branch.....	93,000.00
102. To defray the expenses of the Motor Vehicles Branch.....	165,000.00
34. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Education.....	77,725.00
35. To defray the expenses of the Legislative Library.....	19,075.00
36. To defray the expenses of the Public Records and Archives..	9,175.00
37. To defray the expenses of the Public and Separate School Education.....	5,099,100.00
38. To defray the expenses of the Inspection of Schools.....	561,956.00
39. To defray the expenses of the Departmental Examinations...	322,100.00
40. To defray the expenses of the Text Books.....	71,900.00
41. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools.....	113,000.00
42. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Normal and Model Schools.....	130,600.00
43. To defray the expenses of the Ottawa Normal and Model Schools.....	86,750.00
44. To defray the expenses of the London Normal School.....	44,000.00
45. To defray the expenses of the Hamilton Normal School.....	43,400.00
46. To defray the expenses of the Peterborough Normal School..	38,955.00
47. To defray the expenses of the Stratford Normal School.....	36,450.00
48. To defray the expenses of the North Bay Normal School....	37,700.00
49. To defray the expenses of the University of Ottawa Normal School.....	84,525.00
50. To defray the expenses of the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes.....	868,675.00
51. To defray the expenses of the Public Libraries.....	108,525.00
52. To defray the expenses of the Vocational Education.....	1,678,850.00

53.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training College for Technical Teachers.....	\$ 31,900.00
54.	To defray the expenses of the Superannuated Teachers.....	11,800.00
55.	To defray the expenses of the Provincial and other Universities	1,831,000.00
56.	To defray the expenses of the Belleville School for the Deaf..	156,725.00
57.	To defray the expenses of the Brantford School for the Blind..	94,100.00
20.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Attorney-General's Department.....	74,475.00
21.	To defray the expenses of the Supreme Court of Ontario.....	85,175.00
22.	To defray the expenses of the Shorthand Reporters.....	32,550.00
23.	To defray the expenses of the Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office.....	28,175.00
24.	To defray the expenses of the Land Titles Office.....	27,950.00
25.	To defray the expenses of the Drainage Referees.....	2,500.00
26.	To defray the expenses of the Criminal Justice Accounts....	936,600.00
27.	To defray the expenses of the Public Trustee's Office.....	67,934.60
28.	To defray the expenses of the Official Guardian's Office.....	34,950.00
29.	To defray the expenses of the Accountant's Office—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	24,650.00
30.	To defray the expenses of the Fire Marshal's Office.....	61,600.00
31.	To defray the expenses of the Inspector of Legal Offices....	83,590.00
32.	To defray the expenses of the Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police).....	1,031,125.00
33.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Securities Commission.	74,527.50
103.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office Department of Insurance.....	67,100.00
140.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Prime Minister.....	21,025.00
141.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Executive Council....	10,950.00
142.	To defray the expenses of the Travel and Publicity Bureau..	65,000.00
143.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Civil Service Commissioner.....	12,260.00
144.	To defray the expenses of the Office of King's Printer.....	36,775.00
145.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Controller of Finances.	11,910.00
146.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Provincial Auditor....	113,500.00
157.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	90,540.00
158.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Budget Committee..	10,735.00
159.	To defray the expenses of the Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection.....	38,675.00
160.	To defray the expenses of the Controller of Revenue Branch.	472,860.00
161.	To defray the expenses of the Post Office.....	149,315.00
162.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of the Provincial Treasurer.....	800,000.00

And the House having continued to sit until twelve of the clock midnight,

Thursday, April 27th, 1939.

190.	To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous.....	104,400.00
58.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	71,900.00

59. To defray the expenses of the Districts, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	\$ 250,500.00
60. To defray the expenses of the Game Animals and Birds Department of Game and Fisheries.....	34,000.00
61. To defray the expenses of the Experimental Fur Farm, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	500.00
62. To defray the expenses of the Macdiarmid, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	3,000.00
63. To defray the expenses of the Biological and Fish Culture Branch, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	248,950.00
64. To defray the expenses of the Grants, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	7,400.00
65. To defray the expenses of the Wolf Bounty, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	30,000.00
66. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, General, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	35,000.00
147. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	59,315.00
148. To defray the expenses of the Registrar-General's Branch....	53,165.00
149. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Reformatories and Prisons Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	150,025.00
150. To defray the expenses of the Board of Parole.....	17,000.00
151. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph..	770,000.00
152. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatory, Mimico..	129,500.00
153. To defray the expenses of the Mercer Reformatory, Toronto..	170,000.00
154. To defray the expenses of the Industrial Farm, Burwash.....	457,000.00
155. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville.....	155,000.00
156. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt.....	75,000.00
114. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Lands and Forests.....	172,200.00
115. To defray the expenses of the Agents, Department of Lands and Forests.....	28,600.00
116. To defray the expenses of the Rondeau Provincial Park.....	16,375.00
117. To defray the expenses of the Ipperwash Beach Provincial Park.....	6,000.00
118. To defray the expenses of the New Parks, Department of Lands and Forests.....	4,000.00
119. To defray the expenses of the Forests Branch, Department of Lands and Forests.....	87,000.00
120. To defray the expenses of the Forests Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	1,640,245.00
121. To defray the expenses of the Air Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	252,500.00
122. To defray the expenses of the Radio Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	60,000.00
123. To defray the expenses of the Woodmen's Employment Act..	9,000.00
124. To defray the expenses of the Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards.....	15,000.00
125. To defray the expenses of the Insect Control and Tree Diseases, Department of Lands and Forests.....	17,900.00

126. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Surveys, etc., Department of Lands and Forests.....	\$ 138,000.00
127. To defray the expenses of the Reforestation, Department of Lands and Forests.....	328,600.00
132. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Mines.....	337,750.00
133. To defray the expenses of the Gas and Oil Well Inspectors....	9,200.00
134. To defray the expenses of the Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator.....	5,000.00
135. To defray the expenses of the Temiskaming Testing Laboratories.....	17,500.00
136. To defray the expenses of the Office of Mining Recorders....	48,500.00
137. To defray the expenses of the Draughtsmen, North Bay.....	7,600.00
168. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Works.....	101,200.00
169. To defray the expenses of the General Superintendence, Department of Public Works.....	26,500.00
170. To defray the expenses of the Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment, Department of Public Works.....	4,600.00
171. To defray the expenses of the Legislative and Departmental Building, Department of Public Works.....	421,330.00
172. To defray the expenses of the Osgoode Hall, Department of Public Works.....	36,300.00
173. To defray the expenses of the Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	41,000.00
174. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	32,000.00
175. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools, Department of Public Works.....	2,500.00
176. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	51,370.00
177. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works.....	41,000.00
178. To defray the expenses of the Public Works.....	20,000.00
179. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous, Department of Public Works.....	25,500.00
180. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	46,500.00
181. To defray the expenses of the Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	50,000.00
182. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works.....	3,940,000.00
183. To defray the expenses of the Reformatories, Department of Public Works.....	152,000.00
184. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	46,500.00
185. To defray the expenses of the Provincial Parks, Department of Public Works.....	5,000.00
186. To defray the expenses of the Fish Hatcheries, Department of Public Works.....	82,000.00
187. To defray the expenses of the Forestry, Department of Public Works.....	30,000.00

188.	To defray the expenses of the Public Works, Department of Public Works.....	\$ 392,000.00
189.	To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous, Department of Public Works.....	" 3,000.00
138.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	196,650.00
139.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Municipal Board.....	31,200.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-day.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That when this House adjourns the present Sitting thereof it do stand adjourned until two of the clock this afternoon.

The House then adjourned at 1.50 a.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Drew—On Friday next—Resolution—That in the opinion of this House an enquiry should be conducted under the Public Enquiries Act into the activities of organizations in this Province which are seeking to destroy our democratic institutions.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 14):—

1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

ABITIBI CANYON DEVELOPMENT

1. Total Revenue.....	\$2,354,734.21
2. (a) Operating Expenses.....	\$ 202,975.53
(b) Maintenance Costs.....	151,499.50
(c) Interest.....	932,141.02
(d) Other Current Expenses.....	1,682.58

Provision for Reserves—

Depreciation.....	242,805.84
Contingencies.....	36,875.68
Sinking Fund.....	708,937.64

\$2,276,917.79

3. Total Reserves to October 31st, 1938:—

Renewals.....	\$1,113,963.92
Contingencies.....	353,112.09
Sinking Fund.....	1,988,236.31

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 47):—

1. How many men are employed on Highway No. 24 between Collingwood, Shelburne and Stayner. What are their names and the amount received by each in wages from October 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939. 2. How many men are employed on Highway 26 between Collingwood, Stayner and Thornbury. Give names and amounts received by each for the period April 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. From 1 to 80.

Name	Amount
G. Fewster (Wages and Truck)	\$ 347.45
W. Stewart (Team)	244.37
H. Crooke (Truck)	15.00
G. Sanderson (Truck)	52.50
B. Deakin (Truck)	40.00
H. Bailey	54.90
L. Gillespie	64.20
E. Peterson	62.10
V. Weatherall	10.80
B. Cowan	10.05
J. Walwork	30.15
E. Huxley	45.25
W. Dinsmore	12.00
J. Westecott	8.70
J. Reddick	48.00
H. Webster	46.65
A. Dayton	45.70
R. Dynes	6.00
R. Armstrong	11.40
D. Armstrong	12.30
J. Ferris	1.20
G. Orvis	19.80
W. Ostrander	2.10
C. Webster	34.65
D. Downey	19.05
H. Emerick	33.90
J. Jiles	2.40
H. Petterson	2.40
G. Gilpin	9.00
H. Haliday	8.40
J. McFarlane	17.40
W. Allen	22.80
B. Coulter	1.20
W. Teeter	1.20
W. McNabb	18.60
J. Brown	13.80
B. Hamilton	2.55
M. Hardwick	21.00

Name	Amount
Chester Tupling.....	\$ 3.00
W. Parsons.....	1.50
W. Snell.....	2.40
J. Davey.....	3.90
Charlie McGhee.....	7.05
W. Kentner.....	3.00
V. Orvis.....	.60
E. Raeburn.....	.60
R. Webster.....	36.30
Wm. Webster.....	13.80
Wes. Webster.....	22.35
D. Webster.....	43.65
N. Webster.....	1.50
C. Walwork.....	6.45
J. Dinsmore.....	22.80
W. Reddick.....	8.40
E. Reddick.....	34.55
R. McGhee.....	33.90
H. Proctor.....	24.00
W. Fawcett.....	28.05
L. Jeners.....	35.40
J. Clarey.....	31.95
W. Lloyd.....	19.50
N. Corby.....	23.55
H. Dayton.....	6.90
A. Partridge.....	2.40
C. McGhee.....	16.95
B. Emerick.....	12.45
G. Fraser.....	15.60
E. Paige.....	20.85
D. Ferguson.....	1.20
J. Noble.....	15.45
E. Rusk.....	4.80
D. Dinsmore.....	14.40
B. Parsons.....	5.40
B. Fachinie.....	9.90
S. Robb.....	9.60
E. Westecott.....	10.20
E. Fachinie.....	3.60
Chas. Tupling.....	3.60
B. Dynes.....	3.60
E. Hewitt.....	3.60
B. Brophy (Wages and Truck).....	649.00
W. McInnis.....	180.20
A. Wideman.....	143.65
R. Watts.....	50.35
W. Hughes.....	76.65
P. Nobes.....	76.65
G. Lazio.....	65.85
G. Stangroom.....	73.95
F. Pope (Truck).....	462.20

Name	Amount
R. Nobes.....	\$ 108.45
J. Crouthers.....	108.45
B. Allan.....	119.40
G. Walters.....	11.85
H. Beattie.....	7.00
J. McBride.....	157.60
N. Evans.....	16.50
O. Cooms.....	96.75
F. Webb.....	128.70
C. Hackett (Truck).....	451.10
G. Murray.....	86.40
F. Vancise.....	99.30
G. Raynor.....	93.90
A. Stall.....	221.10
C. McBride.....	143.70
A. McDermott (Truck).....	1,032.55
D. Campbell.....	59.25
G. Bell.....	213.10
F. Jenkinson.....	109.95
H. Morby.....	62.25
M. Wagner.....	64.65
R. Carscadin.....	34.05
G. Parish.....	132.45
A. Taylor (Truck).....	642.55
J. Briggs.....	113.70
M. Coutts.....	213.15
D. Tracey.....	137.85
F. Goodman.....	2.85
B. McKee (Truck).....	167.60
J. Long.....	94.65
G. McBride.....	217.80
G. Goodman.....	66.00
G. Stephenson.....	39.00
J. McMillan (Team).....	39.70
C. Mackie.....	47.60
S. Woolner (Truck).....	240.70
H. Goldsmith.....	51.00
W. Edwards.....	57.60
W. Service.....	21.00
R. Curtain.....	19.10
A. McGibbon.....	29.10
D. Edwards.....	20.70
R. Edwards.....	20.70
J. Bingham.....	18.00
F. Edwards (Team).....	33.00
H. Freethy (Truck).....	56.25
J. Schwandt.....	11.40
C. White.....	4.50
N. Corby.....	3.60
R. Dynes.....	6.00
G. Menary.....	1.20

Name	Amount
B. Ewing.....	\$ 19.35
R. McBride.....	1.20
B. Collins.....	4.20
J. Ferguson.....	23.70
R. Hammill.....	18.30
H. Spence.....	18.15
C. McCauslin.....	1.20
E. Hall.....	1.20
W. Baker.....	4.40
E. Wiley.....	2.40
F. Young.....	1.20
D. Jones.....	1.20
W. Jordan.....	58.95
W. Gibson.....	56.70
M. Metherall (Team).....	31.90
A. Evans.....	5.10
L. Cain.....	200.10
C. MacDonald.....	94.35
W. Coutts.....	4.50
G. Coulson.....	51.00
J. Taylor.....	22.65
F. Kenabel.....	1.20
A. Kitchen.....	3.00
D. Sinclair.....	2.40
G. Adair.....	2.70
C. Ferguson.....	32.40
D. Taylor.....	30.30
J. Hughson.....	8.40
H. Hammill.....	12.90
N. Hammill.....	3.60
C. Schwandt.....	39.00
B. Brophy (Wages and Truck).....	1,228.60
W. Wideman.....	358.40
W. McGinnis.....	441.25
R. Watts.....	76.70
F. Pope (Truck).....	873.45
C. Day.....	139.25
J. Day.....	61.50
G. Coulson.....	51.00
A. Kitchen.....	34.20
H. Mitchell.....	1.80
G. Oliver.....	3.00
K. White.....	1.20
J. Wilson.....	1.20
A. Quick.....	111.00
A. Shipley.....	30.00
J. Aberhart.....	2.40
P. Soulsby.....	16.20
F. Vancise.....	129.00
J. Stapleton.....	48.00
C. Dunlop (Team).....	22.40

Name	Amount
G. Lazio.....	51.60
D. Jeffries.....	60.60
J. McQuillen (Team).....	95.90
D. Tracey.....	137.85
A. Kirby.....	14.40
L. Cain.....	48.00
A. Mirron.....	48.00
W. McCarthy.....	16.80
J. Turner.....	28.80
B. Varley.....	88.20
H. K. Fleming (Foreman).....	281.00
W. Campbell.....	167.97
W. Brinn.....	45.00
J. Boynton.....	31.20
W. Johnston.....	14.70
J. Hindle.....	15.90
W. Clay (Team).....	42.50
H. Mix (Team).....	18.10
E. Doherty (Team).....	2.20
J. Barclay (Team).....	33.95

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the year ending March 31st, 1940, the following sums:—

163. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Welfare Grants—Refugees, Orphanages.....	\$ 227,000.00
164. To defray the expenses of the Children's Aid Branch.....	164,100.00
165. To defray the expenses of the Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	5,307,700.00
166. To defray the expenses of the Old Age Pensions Commission..	3,552,500.00
167. To defray the expenses of the Branches, Old Age Pensions Commission.....	10,380,600.00
104. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Labour.....	63,596.55
105. To defray the expenses of the Industry and Labour Board...	20,055.00
106. To defray the expenses of the Apprenticeship Branch.....	33,430.00
107. To defray the expenses of the Boiler Inspection Branch.....	20,675.00
108. To defray the expenses of the Factory Inspection Branch....	9,970.00
109. To defray the expenses of the Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers.....	28,755.00
110. To defray the expenses of the Employment Offices.....	234,450.00
111. To defray the expenses of the Minimum Wage Board.....	40,500.00
112. To defray the expenses of the Composite Inspection Division.	115,385.00
113. To defray the expenses of the Workmen's Compensation Board	75,000.00

128. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Speaker	\$ 255,600.00
129. To defray the expenses of the Office of Law Clerk	13,175.00
130. To defray the expenses of the Office of Crown-in-Chancery	4,800.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-day.

Mr. Patterson, from Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolutions:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and two thousand, one hundred and twenty-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Statistics and Publications Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand, one hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Live Stock Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Institutes Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Dairy Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Milk Control Board for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and two thousand, four hundred and forty-nine dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Fruit Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty thousand, three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Agricultural Representatives Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand, one hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Markets Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand, four hundred and ninety-two dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Kemptville Agricultural School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Veterinary College for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Western Ontario Experimental Farm for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Demonstration Farm, Hearst, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand, two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Northern Ontario Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and ninety-three thousand, six hundred and fourteen dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Agricultural College for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Co-operation and Markets Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand, four hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Attorney-General, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-five thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Supreme Court of Ontario for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand, five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Shorthand Reporters for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Land Titles Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Drainage Referees for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and thirty-six thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Criminal Justice Accounts for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand, nine hundred and thirty-four dollars and sixty cents be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Trustee's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Official Guardian's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Accountant's Office, Supreme Court of Ontario, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-one thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Fire Marshal's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-three thousand, five hundred and ninety dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspector of Legal Offices for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million and thirty-one thousand, one hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police) for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand, five hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-seven thousand, seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Education, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislative Library for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Records and Archives for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five million and ninety-nine thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public and Separate School Education for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and sixty-one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspection of Schools Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-two thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Departmental Examinations Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Text Books Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Training Schools Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto Normal and Model Schools for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-six thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ottawa Normal and Model Schools for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of London Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hamilton Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand, nine hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Peterborough Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand, four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Stratford Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand, seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of North Bay Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-four thousand, five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of University of Ottawa Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

50.* *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and sixty-eight thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to

defray the expenses of High Schools and Collegiate Institutes for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

51. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eight thousand, five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Libraries for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, six hundred and seventy-eight thousand, eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Vocational Education for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training College for Technical Teachers for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Superannuated Teachers for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, eight hundred and thirty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Provincial and other Universities for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-six thousand, seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Belleville School for the Deaf for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-four thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Brantford School for the Blind for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Districts, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

60. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Game Animals and Birds, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

61. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Experimental Fur Farm, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

62. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Macdiarmid, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

63. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty-eight thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the

expenses of Biological and Fish Culture Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

64. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Grants, Department of Game and Fisheries for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

65. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Wolf Bounty, Department of Game and Fisheries for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

66. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, General, Department of Game and Fisheries for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

67. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and four thousand, four hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Health for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

68. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nursing for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

69. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand, eight hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Dental Service for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

70. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspection of Training School for Nurses for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

71. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-six thousand, three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Preventable Diseases Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

72. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eight thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Venereal Diseases Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

73. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand, three hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Tuberculosis Prevention Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

74. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industrial Hygiene Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

75. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Sanitary Engineering Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

76. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Laboratory Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

77. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-six thousand, two hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Laboratory Divisions Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

78. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four million and forty-three thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals, General Office, Grants, etc., General Expenses, Ontario Hospitals for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

79. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and thirty thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Brockville, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

80. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-four thousand, four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Cobourg, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

81. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand, nine hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Fort William, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

82. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and forty-six thousand, seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

83. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-seven thousand, seven hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Kingston, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

84. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and eleven thousand, nine hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, London, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

85. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and seven thousand, two hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, New Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

86. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, New Toronto (Concord Unit), for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

87. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and sixty thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Orillia, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

88. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Penetanguishene, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

89. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and thirty-one thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

90. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and fifty seven thousand and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

91. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and nineteen thousand, four hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Whitby, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

92. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and eighty-five thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

93. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-nine thousand and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto Psychiatric Hospital for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

94. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Brampton, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

95. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Port Arthur, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

96. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and one thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Highways, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

97. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Division Offices, Department of Highways, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

98. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Municipal Roads Branch for the year ending 31st March; 1940.

99. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Gasoline Tax Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

100. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous Permits Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

101. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Equipment Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

102. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Motor Vehicles Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

103. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Insurance for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

104. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-three thousand, five hundred and ninety-six dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Labour, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

105. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand and fifty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industry and Labour Board for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

106. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand, four hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Apprenticeship Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

107. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Boiler Inspection Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

108. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, nine hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Factory Inspection Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

109. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand, seven hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

110. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-four thousand, four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Employment Offices for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

111. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Minimum Wage Board for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

112. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifteen thousand, three hundred and eighty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Composite Inspection Division for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Workmen's Compensation Board for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

114. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-two thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses

of Main Office, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

115. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agents, Department of Lands and Forests for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

116. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand, three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Rondeau Provincial Park for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ipperwash Beach Provincial Park for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of New Parks, Department of Lands and Forests for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forests Branch, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, six hundred and forty thousand, two hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forests Service for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Air Service, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Radio Service, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

123. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Woodmen's Employment Act for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

124. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

125. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Insect Control and Tree Diseases, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

126. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main

Office, Surveys, etc., Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

127. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-eight thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Reforestation for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

128. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-five thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of the Speaker for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

129. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Law Clerk for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

130. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Crown-in-Chancery for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

131. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Lieutenant-Governor for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

132. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and thirty-seven thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Mines for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

133. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Gas and Oil Well Inspectors Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

134. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

135. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Temiskaming Testing Laboratories for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

136. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-eight thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Offices of Mining Recorders for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

137. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Draughtsman, North Bay, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

138. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-six thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

139. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Municipal Board for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

140. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Prime Minister, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

141. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Executive Council for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

142. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Travel and Publicity Bureau for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

143. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand, two hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Civil Service Commissioner for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

144. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand, seven hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of King's Printer for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

145. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, nine hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Controller of Finances for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

146. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirteen thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Provincial Auditor for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

147. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-nine thousand, three hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

148. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand, one hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Registrar-General's Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

149. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Reformatories and Prisons Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

150. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Board of Parole for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

151. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and seventy thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

152. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-nine thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Reformatory, Mimico, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

153. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Mercer Reformatory, Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

154. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and fifty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industrial Farm, Burwash, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

155. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

156. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

157. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand, five hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

158. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand, seven hundred and thirty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Budget Committee for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

159. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspections for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

160. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and seventy-two thousand, eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Controller of Revenue Branch for the year ending 31st March 1940.

161. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-nine thousand, three hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Post Office for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

162. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

163. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and twenty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Public Welfare for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

164. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-four

thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Children's Aid Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

165. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five million, three hundred and seven thousand, seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Mothers' Allowances Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

166. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million, five hundred and fifty-two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Old Age Pensions Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

167. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten million, three hundred and eighty thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Branches, Old Age Pensions Commission, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

168. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and one thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

169. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of General Superintendence, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

170. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

171. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and twenty-one thousand, three hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislative and Departmental Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

172. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Osgoode Hall, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

173. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

174. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

175. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Training Schools, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

176. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand three hundred

and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of District Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

177. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

178. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

179. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

180. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

181. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

182. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million, nine hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

183. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Reformatories, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

184. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of District Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

185. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Provincial Parks, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

186. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Fish Hatcheries, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

187. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forestry, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

188. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

189. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

190. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and four thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous for the year ending 31st March, 1940.

The several Resolutions having been read the second time were concurred in.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Sixty-three million, one hundred and twenty-two thousand, seven hundred and five dollars and ninety cents to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received forthwith.

Mr. Patterson, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported a Resolution, which was read as follows:—

That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Sixty-three million, one hundred and twenty-two thousand, seven hundred and five dollars and ninety cents to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

The Resolution, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the full Sessional Indemnity be paid to those Members absent on account of illness or other unavoidable cause.

The following Bill was then introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 99), intituled, "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums

of Money for the Public Service of the Financial Year ending the 31st day of March, 1940." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 46):—

1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or building of bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) Location of work; (f) Mileage or length of construction.

N.B.—No details need be given of extensions covered in Sessional Paper No. 56, 20th Legislature, 2nd Session, 1938.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Nil.

	(a) Date of Extension	(b) Date of Original Contract	(c) Name of Contractor	(e) Location	(f) Mileage
37-38	Sept. 9, 1938	Apr. 6, 1937	Construction and Paving Co. of Ontario Ltd.	From Intersection Highways 17 and 70, South 6 miles.	6
37-79	July 5, 1938	Apr. 21, 1937	McNamara Construction Co. Ltd.	Englehart North	14
37-112	Sept. 14, 1938	May 20, 1937	Warren Bituminous Paving Co. Ltd.	South of Cameron	.5
37-180	Oct. 28, 1938	May 20, 1937	McNamara Construction Co. Ltd.	Between Porquis Junction and Iroquois Falls.	3 (approximately)
37-230	July 11, 1938	July 7, 1937	Scott Jackson Construction Ltd.	North Village of Lyons.	2.25
37-234	Sept. 23, 1938	July 7, 1937	A. Cope and Sons Ltd.	Homer Cloverleaf	3.7
37-255	Nov. 1, 1938	Aug. 5, 1937	Patterson Paving Co. Ltd.	Church St. Overpass.	
37-258	Aug. 3, 1938	Aug. 5, 1937	Wallace A. Mackey Ltd.	2 miles west of Hagar westerly	3
37-264	Aug. 3, 1938	Aug. 5, 1937	Ontario Construction Co. Ltd.	C.P.R. to Wanapitae River	
37-270	Aug. 26, 1938	Aug. 3, 1937	Rayner Construction Ltd.	East of Kewatin Bridge	.5
37-277	Oct. 27, 1938	Sept. 7, 1937	Construction and Paving Co. of Ontario Ltd.	Nestor Falls North.	7
38-27	Dec. 14, 1938	July 27, 1938	Goldie Construction Co. Ltd.	Martindale Underpass.	200 feet Gravel as required
38-43	Sept. 21, 1938	Aug. 24, 1938	Routly Construction Co. Ltd.	Port Perry to Highway No. 28.	
38-45	Jan. 3, 1939	Aug. 24, 1938	F. Munroe	Near Lost River.	

2 (d). The original contract and extensions are considered as a whole when payments are made. Extensions as approved are considered as authority to add to the lump sum value of the original contract, the value of the extension, unit prices in extensions being exactly the same as in the original. Work is accordingly carried ahead as if the original and the extension were one project and no effort made to separate the quantities. Because of this we find it impossible to answer this part of the question.

	(a) Date of Extension	(b) Date of Original Contract	(c) Name of Contractor	(d) Amount Paid	(e) Location	(f) Mileage
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36-96	Dec. 30, 1938	July 16, 1936	Hadley McHaffie Construction Co. Ltd....	\$ 89,016.70	2 miles west of North Bay, westerly	9
37-31	Jan. 3, 1939	Apr. 7, 1937	King Paving Co. Ltd.....	81,327.41	Between Sturgeon Falls and 10 miles west	....
37-41	Jan. 19, 1939	Apr. 7, 1937	Frontenac Construction Co. Ltd.....	37,198.58	From Glen Orchard North.....	3
39-49	Jan. 3, 1939	July 15, 1937	King Paving Co. Ltd.....	107,949.40	West of Spanish, West of Massey...	....
37-77	Jan. 17, 1939	Apr. 21, 1937	Malvern Construction Co.....	17,828.60	West of Blind River.....	....
37-78	Jan. 3, 1939	Apr. 21, 1937	Geo. S. Grant Construction Co. Ltd.....	72,977.53	Gordon's Bay to Footes Bay.....	6
37-80	Jan. 3, 1939	Apr. 21, 1937	Angus & Taylor Ltd.....	138,182.17	Utterson North, south of Bracebridge	2 1/4
37-88	Jan. 3, 1939	Apr. 21, 1937	Long Lac Construction Co. Ltd.....	45,231.36	Shebandowan Road.....	....
37-90	Jan. 3, 1939	Apr. 21, 1937	Bond Construction Co. Ltd.....	89,694.50	5 miles south of Nestor Falls to 13 miles south, also Log River bridge	....
37-218	Jan. 17, 1939	July 7, 1937	Rayner Construction Ltd.....	20,575.92	West of Thessalon.....	....
37-222	Dec. 3, 1938	July 7, 1937	Dominion Construction Corp. Ltd.....	124,083.96	North of Otto Twp. overhead to Kirkland Lake.....	3
37-223	Dec. 20, 1938	July 7, 1937	McNamara Construction Co. Ltd.....	22,885.90	Matheson to Raymore.....	11
37-258 Ex.	Jan. 1, 1939	Aug. 5, 1937	Wallace A. Mackey Ltd.....	188,489.90	Hagar West, 2 miles.....	2
37-260 Ex.	Feb. 2, 1939	Aug. 5, 1937	Johnson Bros. Co. Ltd.....	89,235.55	Between Bobcaygeon and Buckhorn	....
37-264 Ex.	Jan. 3, 1939	Aug. 5, 1937	Ontario Construction Co. Ltd.....	55,757.49	Between Wanapitae and Sudbury...	3/4
37-270 Ex.	Jan. 6, 1939	Aug. 3, 1937	Rayner Construction Ltd.....	23,382.30	Entrance to Keewatin Village.....	....
37-273 Ex.	Jan. 31, 1939	Aug. 5, 1937	Rayner Construction Ltd.....	39,796.00	Between Geraldton and Long Lac, between Long Lac and 6 miles west	....
37-279	Jan. 3, 1939	Nov. 25, 1937	Chambers McQuigge McCaffrey Co. Ltd....	57,674.28	From Temiskaming South Boundary north 6 miles.....	6
37-280	Dec. 30, 1938	Nov. 25, 1937	Dominion Construction Corp. Ltd.....	109,536.73	From 5.6 miles south of Nipissing	6
37-284	Jan. 3, 1939	Nov. 25, 1937	L. T. Martin Ltd.....	154,925.64	North boundary southerly 6 miles	....
38-29	Jan. 17, 1939	Aug. 24, 1938	Sterling Construction Co. Ltd.....	42,305.75	From 4 miles south of Temagami, 5.3 miles.....	3
38-68	Jan. 12, 1939	Nov. 16, 1938	McNamara Construction Co. Ltd.....	33,800.00	Desbarats West and Ferry Road, St. Joe Island.....	25
					West of Hearst.....	15
					West of Cochrane.....	....

2 (d). The above extensions were under agreement with the Dominion Government to give relief by way of winter work. Under the terms of the agreement it was necessary to keep the cost separate from the original contract. 50% of the above expenditure will be returned to the Department in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion calling for the dismissal of Professor Grube of Trinity University and Professor Underhill of Toronto University, having been read,

The Debate resumed, and after some time, by consent of the House, the Motion was allowed to be withdrawn.

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Glass,

That in the opinion of this House enquiry should be conducted under the Public Enquiries Act into the activities of organizations in this Province which are seeking to destroy our democratic institutions.

A Debate ensued, and, after some time, by consent of the House, the Motion was allowed to be withdrawn.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 77), An Act to Recognize in Law the Right of Employees to Organize for the Furtherance of their Lawful Interests, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him not to report the Bill.

Regarding Question (No. 50), the Honourable the Minister of Highways required that this Question be made a Motion for a Return to the Order of the House.

On motion of Mr. Arnott, seconded by Mr. Murphy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: How much did the new bridge on Highway No. 11 situated in Burks Falls and opened in 1938, cost; (a) What was the amount of the original contract; (b) If changes were made what did these alterations cost; (c) How many engineers, surveyors, inspectors and superintendents were employed in connection with this structure.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Select Committee of this House authorized by the House on the 18th instant to investigate, enquire into and report on all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests, be constituted as follows and be authorized to sit during the recess of the House:—

Mr. Leduc, Chairman, and Messrs. Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Cooper, Drew, Elliott, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Spence and Welsh.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Ontario Veterinary College for the year 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 29.*)

Also, Report relating to the Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths in the Province of Ontario for year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 13.*)

Also, Report of the Minister of Agriculture for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 21.*)

Also, Report of the Statistics Branch, Department of Agriculture, for the year 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 22.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Education, Ontario, for year ending October 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 11.*)

Also, Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 6.*)

Also, Report of the Registrar of Loan Corporations for year ending December 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 7.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Highways for year ending March 31st, 1938. (*Sessional Papers No. 32.*)

Also, Report upon Prisons and Reformatories of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 53.*)

Also, Report upon The Industrial Schools and Training Schools of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 54.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs for the Province of Ontario, 1938-1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 31.*)

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Acts that had passed severally as follows:—

An Act respecting the Township of Nepean.

An Act respecting the City of Chatham.

An Act respecting the Town of Leaside.

An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo.

An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria.

An Act respecting L'Institut Canadien Français de la Cité d'Ottawa.

An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar.

An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

An Act respecting the Township of Barton.

An Act respecting the Township of King.

An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek.

An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West.

An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to Admit Aurélien Bélanger as a Barrister and Solicitor.

An Act respecting the City of London.

An Act respecting The Women's Christian Association of Belleville.

An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke.

An Act respecting The Crescent School.

An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William.

An Act respecting the Rideau Club.

An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund.

An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham, deceased, and the Toronto General Hospital.

An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

An Act to amend The Optometry Act.

The Training Schools Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act.

An Act to amend The Limitations Act.

An Act to amend The Mortgages Act.

An Act respecting Collection Agencies.

An Act to amend The Constables Act.

An Act respecting the Changing of Names.

The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

The Guelph Railway Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act.

An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

The School Law Amendment Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act.

An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head.

An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act.

An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939.

The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939.

An Act respecting Credit Unions.

An Act respecting a Company to be known as the Southern Algoma Railway Company.

An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Acts.”

Mr. Speaker then said:—

May it please Your Honour:

We, His Majesty’s most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to His Majesty’s person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honour’s acceptance a Bill intituled, “An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1940.”

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank His Majesty’s dutiful and loyal Subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in His Majesty’s name.”

His Honour was then pleased to deliver the following speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

As your Sessional duties have been completed, I am now able to relieve you of further attendance, and in doing so I desire to express my appreciation of the services you have rendered.

Overshadowing all other considerations during the past few weeks have been the patient efforts of Britain and France to hold the delicate balance between Peace and War in face of recent breaches of international law and good faith, and it has become increasingly evident that the collaboration of the peace-loving nations of the world will form the most effective barrier against war.

It is, therefore, very gratifying to me, as His Majesty's representative in Ontario, to mark the unanimity with which this Assembly, sinking all differences, expressed itself on the necessity for united action by all parts of the British Empire in defence of our free Institutions. I am confident that the Resolution you passed, calling in unequivocal language for the immediate mobilization of both wealth and man-power in the event of an emergency, will have its effect far beyond the boundaries of this Province and Dominion.

The continuous threat of war has naturally caused considerable speculation with respect to the impending visit to Canada of Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, but except for the actual outbreak of hostilities, which does not now seem imminent, it is not considered that present plans will be altered. Details of the preparations being made in Ontario have already been outlined to you, and I trust that when Their Majesties visit this Assembly on the 22nd of May, you will all be able to take part in this happy and historic event.

The Budget of the Provincial Treasurer reveals the increasing demands made upon the public purse for Health, Education, Unemployment Relief, Agriculture, Highways, and the various other services provided by the Province, and under these circumstances, it is a matter for gratification that the Government has been able to report a surplus on the past year's operations and to budget for a small surplus for the coming year. The ability of the Province to meet all its current expenditures from Revenue for several years past, including the heavy demands for Unemployment Relief, demonstrates the inherent stability of the Province, while the high value placed upon Ontario securities in the markets of the world reflects the confidence of the investing public in the prudent financing methods of the Government.

In view of the conflict of authority and divergent verdicts by the Courts, rendering enforcement impossible, a Resolution was passed by this Assembly asking the Dominion Government to repeal the Canada Temperance Act as it applies to Ontario, and thus bring the entire Province under the more restrictive provisions of The Liquor Control Act. It was considered that this direct approach to a harassing problem of long standing was preferable to the delays and heavy expense involved in a reference to the higher Courts.

The discriminatory railway rates on Ontario wheat as compared with Western and United States wheat was also the subject of a unanimous Resolution from this House, and it is hoped protest to the Dominion authorities will result in this situation being remedied.

A revision of the Gasoline Tax from six to eight cents was made effective from April 1st, and municipalities will share in the increased revenue to the extent of one-half mill on their assessments. This makes a total of one and one-half mills now being contributed by the Government for the relief of municipal taxpayers in an effort to lighten the heavy burden carried by real estate and thus stimulate building activity.

A change in The Corporation Tax Act reduces the tax on paid-up capital and increases the levy on income, this being considered a more equitable basis.

Further assistance to municipalities in mining districts has been furnished

by an Amendment to The Assessment Act, which will allow them to derive some additional revenue from the mines. With a view to safeguarding still further those engaged in dust exposure occupations in the mining industry, the regulations and the provisions of the Act relating to physical examinations have been completely revised.

The Unemployment Insurance Act which you have passed deals with a question of grave national importance, and the Government is now in a position to make effective in Ontario the provisions of any scheme which may be enacted by the Dominion Parliament. Similar enabling legislation has passed third reading in the Quebec Legislature.

An Amendment to The Liquor Control Act permits a member of the Assembly to be a member or Chairman of the Liquor Control Board, and thus be in a position to present or explain the operations of the Board direct to the Legislature.

The Ontario Municipal Board has been given wider power to arrange amalgamations and annexations of municipalities or parts thereof, subject to ratification by this Legislature.

Provision has been made for restraining the publication of any material derogatory to His Majesty or any member of the Royal Family, and elected municipal officials are also required to take the Oath of Allegiance.

An Amendment to The Vital Statistics Act provides that where a child is born out of wedlock and the parents subsequently marry, the child may be registered as of legitimate birth.

Amateur boxers and wrestlers are brought under the jurisdiction of the Ontario Athletic Commission, and the authority of the Commission over Professional sports is clarified.

You have also made provision for the export to any part of the British Empire of Ontario hardwood, which may be used extensively in the manufacture of aeroplanes.

An Amendment to The Highway Improvement Act provides for the construction of the new divided highways as arteries for through traffic, and also permits the Government to assist in the building and maintenance of development roads in the unorganized parts of the Province. The liability of the Department of Highways and other road authorities in respect to accidents is restricted to the travelled portion of the road. Penalties are also provided for persons who operate motor vehicles carelessly though not to a degree which would constitute reckless driving.

In connection with the effort to improve police services in Ontario, Constables are given extended authority in pursuit of criminals, and the Attorney-General may direct inquiries with regard to police activities.

A measure of relief is given to mortgage covenantors who have ceased for a period of years to be interested in the mortgaged property, and the provisions of The Mortgageors' and Purchasers' Relief Act are extended for another year.

The Rules governing the Assembly have been revised in the light of experience gathered during the past ten years, and should further assist in the harmonious conduct of your deliberations.

In closing, I desire to congratulate you on the manner in which you have conducted the business of the Assembly, and for the financial provision you have made for carrying on the affairs of the Province, and I trust that under the blessings of Divine Providence the legislation you have enacted will promote the well-being of this Province and the happiness of our citizens.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

It is the will and pleasure of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 9TH, 1939

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS;
GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY
MEMBERS; OOTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

1. Mar. 8.—*Consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session.* Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).
2. “ 8.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act.*
Mr. Leduc. **NOT PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 10TH, 1939

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

1. Mar. 9.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—*Resolved*—That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, King George the Sixth, and His Queen, Elizabeth, on the occasion of their visit to this Legislative Chamber on May 22nd, Instant, the said Address to be engrossed and to be presented to His Majesty by the Honourable the Prime Minister on the occasion mentioned, such Address to be couched in the following terms:—

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,
Most Gracious Sovereign.*

We, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to approach Your Majesty with feelings of most profound devotion and respect, to join with all Your Majesty's Subjects in Your Dominion of Canada in extending to You and to Your Gracious Consort, our Queen, Elizabeth, a joyful welcome on this, the first occasion on which our Empire's Sovereign has visited His Loyal Canadian People. This happy occasion will ever live in the memory of the people of Your Province of Ontario, and Your Majesty's gracious act in thus personally visiting Your Ontario Subjects will meet with a response in their hearts, and in their actions, which will go far in preserving and cementing those ties of Empire which are so vital to the preservation of World Peace during the troubled period through which the nations of the World are passing.

Ascending the Throne at a time of crisis which called for the exercise of statesmanship of the highest quality and the united support of all parts of the Empire, Your Majesty's strong and wise leadership and Your constant consideration for the well-being of Your people have confirmed and strengthened the joy with which Your Coronation was greeted by all Your Dominions, and the sincere love which was inspired in the hearts of His subjects by Your Gracious Father of blessed memory has been transferred to You in fullest measure. It is gratifying to all British Subjects to realize that our Empire is still regarded as the bulwark of freedom and the hope of civilization, and we are confident that under Your Majesty's wise and gracious leadership, our Statesmen will so continue to conduct the affairs of government that the Empire's proud position in World affairs will be maintained and strengthened, and the nations of the World directed along the paths of peace.

To Your Gracious Consort, Our Queen, Elizabeth, we also beg leave to present the devotion of this Assembly and of the people of Ontario whom we represent. The qualities displayed by Her Majesty in the discharge of the many tasks which devolve upon Her have awakened in Your people feelings of profound admiration and respect and our hope is that She may long be spared to be Your helpmate and inspiration in the performance of the onerous duties of the high office to which You have been called.

We would also humbly request that Your Majesty will convey the respectful and affectionate greeting of the people of Ontario to Your daughters the Princess Elizabeth and the Princess Margaret Rose, who have captured the hearts of Your people throughout the Empire.

In conclusion may we again express our deep gratitude for Your Majesty's gracious act in visiting this Province of Ontario, of which we are so proud, and assure You that the people of Ontario are and will be, as they have always been, proud to be a portion of the great Empire over which You reign, loyal in word and in deed to Your Person and to the Crown.

"God Save Our King" is ever the prayer on the lips and in the hearts of Your Majesties' most loyal subjects of the Province of Ontario.

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2. Mar. 9.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—Select Committee to strike the Standing Committees ordered by this House.
 3. " 9.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—Select Committee to assist Mr. Speaker in the care of the Library.
 4. " 9.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—Select Committee to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the Estimates for Art Purposes.
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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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9. Mar. 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **NOT PRINTED.**
10. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **NOT PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; PRIVATE BILLS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS;
NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES
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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

5. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Conant*—Resolved—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

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11. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.*
12. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies. *Mr. Dewan. NOT PRINTED.*
13. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. Cross. NOT PRINTED.*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 14TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

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14. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **NOT PRINTED.**
15. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
16. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **NOT PRINTED.**
17. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **NOT PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

NOTICE OF MOTION

1. Mar. 14.—*Mr. Drew*—That there be tabled in this House all contracts, telegrams, correspondence, and memoranda relating to the rights, and reorganization of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited since January 1st, 1937.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

5. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Conant*—Resolved—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

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2. “ 9.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 8.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
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8. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
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Mr. Cross. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage
 Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
15. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature
 Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
16. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's
 Compensation Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie).
 PRINTED.
17. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public
 Health Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 16TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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16. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie).* **PRINTED.**

17. Mar. 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 45), The Athletic Commission Act, 1939. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 17TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

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2. “ 9.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 9.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 10.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the motion for Second Reading Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 8.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Industrial Standards Act. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
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11. “ 9.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
15. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
16. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**

17. Mar. 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
18. " 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
19. " 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Farm Products Control Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
20. " 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Psychiatric Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
21. " 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 45), The Athletic Commission Act, 1939. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 20TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES
OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

1. Mar. 9.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 27), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
2. " 9.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The Registry Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

1. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

2. “ 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been received from the Federal Government for the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 2. What amount was spent by the Province of Ontario for the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date. 3. How many were trained under this plan: (a) March 31st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938; (b) March 31st, 1938, to date.

3. “ 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the purchase price of the old Government House property at the corner of King and Simcoe Streets, Toronto, Ontario. 2. To whom was it sold. 3. What date was it sold. 4. What was the total amount realized from the sale of the old Government House property. 5. What was paid for the site of Chorley Park. 6. What was the cost of construction of buildings on Chorley Park site. 7. What has been the total capital expenditure on Chorley Park property, including site, buildings and furnishings, to date. 8. Has Chorley Park been disposed of; (a) If so, to whom. 9. What amount was realized out of the sale of house furnishings at Chorley Park.

4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.
5. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930?
6. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.
7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.
8. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

5. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Conant*—Resolved—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.

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1939.

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11. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
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13. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The Tile Drainage Act. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
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22. " 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
23. " 17. *Second Reading* Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 21ST, 1939

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READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

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6. “ 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

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23. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

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NOTICE OF MOTION

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22ND, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICE OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

1. Mar. 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 36), An Act respecting Agricultural Societies. *Mr. Dewan.* **REPRINTED.**
2. “ 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

5. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Conant*—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.
6. “ 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

4. Mar. 8.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the amendment to the motion for the consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn.*
5. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 23RD, 1939

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MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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13. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **NOT PRINTED.**

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

14. Mar. 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Macfie*. **NOT PRINTED.**
15. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act. *Mr. MacGillivray*. **NOT PRINTED.**

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10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agree-

ments or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified

or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

11. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many licensees holding licenses from the Crown to cut sawlogs, ties, pulpwood or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have surrendered their licenses or rights to cut, either entire or in part, upon the licensed areas or parts of licensed areas since January 1st, 1935. 2. How many licenses issued to operators to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not

been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

12. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What is the total quantity of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive, for which permits to export same were granted; (b) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Orders-in-Council of March 23rd, 1935, and July 25th, 1935; (c) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Forest Resources Regulation Act of 1936 and in what manner does that Act authorize the Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each

year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as

referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

NOTICE OF MOTION

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

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to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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2. Mar. 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Macfie*. **PRINTED.**
3. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act. *Mr. MacGillivray*. **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

5. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Conant*—That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.
6. “ 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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4. Mar. 8.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the amendment to the motion for the consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn.*
5. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **NOT PRINTED.**
13. “ 23.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **NOT PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1939

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Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber

might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.
15. “ 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount received by the Government from Annual Returns under the Companies Information Act for the years 1935 to 1938 inclusive. 2. Returns showing amount paid to the Treasury Department under The Corporations Tax Act for ordinary incorporated Companies. Classify, if possible, for the years 1933 to 1938 inclusive.

NOTICE OF MOTION

10. “ 24.—*Mr. Oliver*—That in view of the fact that the wheat growers of Ontario have practically lost access to the export market for wheat owing to the preferential rates accorded to Western Canada and United States wheat shipped ex-lake in carload lots as compared with the carload rates on Ontario wheat, namely, approximately 10.34c. per cwt. and 7.08c. per cwt. on Western wheat as compared with 20c. per cwt. on Ontario wheat and as a result a large portion of Ontario wheat crop has to be used for feed and many flour mills in this Province have been forced to discontinue operations, it is the opinion of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario that Ontario wheat, wheat flour and wheat products shipped for export should be accorded freight rates similar to those accorded Western Canada and United States wheat, wheat flour and wheat products moving by rail from Bay ports through Ontario for export, and that this resolution be transmitted to the Transport Board of Canada now considering such an application from Ontario farmers and millers.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1. Mar. 10.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the motion, That in the opinion of this House The Canada Temperance Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, Chapter 196, should be repealed as it applies to the Province of Ontario, and this House accordingly requests the Government of Canada forthwith to effect such repeal, and directs that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable the Prime Minister of Canada.
Mr. Conant.

6. “ 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

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- 8. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1939

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12. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

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16. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act. *Mr. MacGillivray.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

1. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.
4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total

amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

5. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930?
6. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.
7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.
8. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?
10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what

amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; *(h)* Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; *(i)* Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; *(j)* What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; *(k)* What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; *(l)* Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; *(m)* What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; *(n)* Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; *(o)* Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case.

2. *(a)* Have any of the agreements referred to in *(l)* above been changed, modified or renewed; *(b)* If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; *(c)* What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; *(d)* What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; *(e)* What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; *(f)* Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or

companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

11. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many licensees holding licenses from the Crown to cut sawlogs, ties, pulpwood or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have surrendered their licenses or rights to cut, either entire or in part, upon the licensed areas or parts of licensed areas since January 1st, 1935. 2. How many licenses issued to operators to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered,

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original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m.* For the first hour, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

1. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in

Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.
5. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930?
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7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.

8. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?
10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those

persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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1. Mar. 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Macfie.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Optometry Act. *Mr. MacGillivray.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 28.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **NOT PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

6. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

7. “ 24.—*Mr. Leduc*—That this House will, on _____ next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

Resolved—This House approves of the terms of an Act intituled, “The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939,” as presented to the House, which Act provides that every person owning or operating or using a race track, and holding a race meeting, and every holder of a winning ticket issued under the parimutuel system upon a race track at a race meeting, shall pay to His Majesty for the uses of Ontario, the taxes imposed by the said Act at the time and in the manner therein provided.

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of the amount, at the time and in the manner provided by the said Act.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

6. Mar. 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act respecting the Co-ordination of Police Service. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 23.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**

12. Mar. 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

6. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

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9. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 27.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the motion for Second Reading Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
14. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
15. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**

16. Mar. 29. *Second Reading* Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939.
Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.
17. “ 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
18. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

19. Mar. 28. *Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan. PRINTED.*

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

1. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.
4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

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6. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.
7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.
8. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total advance made by the Province to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission as of October 31st, 1933, 1934, 1938. 2. What was the total advance made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to the Province on behalf of the Northern Ontario properties 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938?
10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in

each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (*i*) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (*j*) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (*k*) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (*l*) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (*m*) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (*n*) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (*o*) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (*a*) Have any of the agreements referred to in (*l*) above been changed, modified or renewed; (*b*) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (*c*) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (*d*) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (*e*) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (*f*) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (*g*) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed

agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

11. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many licensees holding licenses from the Crown to cut sawlogs, ties, pulpwood or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have surrendered their licenses or rights to cut, either entire or in part, upon the licensed areas or parts of licensed areas since January 1st, 1935. 2. How many licenses issued to operators to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

12. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What is the total quantity of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive, for which permits to export same were granted; (b) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Orders-in-Council of March 23rd, 1935, and July 25th, 1935; (c) What portion of such pulpwood cut from the Crown lands for export during each of the above operating seasons was cut and exported under the authority of the Forest Resources Regulation Act of 1936 and in what manner does that Act authorize the Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills

to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the

season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.
15. “ 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount received by the Government from Annual Returns under the Companies Information Act for the years 1935 to 1938 inclusive. 2. Returns showing amount paid to the Treasury Department under The Corporations Tax Act for ordinary incorporated Companies. Classify, if possible, for the years 1933 to 1938 inclusive.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

11. Mar. 30.—*Mr. Kennedy*—That in the opinion of this House reforestation and the preservation of forests is essential to the continuation of farming in this Province, and a permanent plan of water sheds should be established by means of which a map of every county will be prepared, showing where forests should be preserved or planted, such map to be furnished by the Department of Forestry on request of any County Council.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 31ST, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS.
From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

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Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.
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10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those

persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

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or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

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Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long

Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same. 16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.
16. “ 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been expended for approaches, bridges and highway in connection with the Thousand Islands International Bridge project. 2. Were tenders called for such work. What tenders were received and who were the successful tenderers. 3. What work, if any, was done without tender.
17. “ 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiation. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.
18. “ 30.—*Mr. Roebuck*—1. How many acres of mining lands in Ontario are there: (a) Under patent; (b) Under lease; (c) Staked, prior to patent. 2. What is the rate of annual provincial taxation under each division (a), (b) and (c) above. 3. What is the gross amount received by the Provincial Government during the last completed fiscal year under each of the said divisions. 4. Are any of the said taxes presently in arrears. 5. What is the amount of the present arrears, if any. 6. What is the maximum length of time of such arrears. 7. Has there been any change in the rate of such taxation since 1934. 8. What

was the amount of such arrears, if any, in 1934. 9. What was the maximum length of time of such arrears in 1934. 10. How many acres have been cancelled for non-payment of taxes in each year since 1924.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

11. Mar. 30.—*Mr. Kennedy*—That in the opinion of this House reforestation and the preservation of forests is essential to the continuation of farming in this Province, and a permanent plan of water sheds should be established by means of which a map of every county will be prepared, showing where forests should be preserved or planted, such map to be furnished by the Department of Forestry on request of any County Council.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

1. Mar. 28.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

2. Mar. 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean. *Mr. Acres.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton. *Mr. Bethune.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
6. “ 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek. *Mr. Armstrong.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

6. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.
12. “ 30.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, Every purchaser of gasoline shall pay to the Minister of Highways for the use of His Majesty in right of the Province of Ontario a charge or tax at the rate of eight (8) cents per imperial gallon on all gasoline purchased or delivery of which is received by him.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

7. Mar. 30.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
8. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
9. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
10. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
11. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan*. **PRINTED.**
12. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
13. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 23.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
16. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
17. “ 27.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the motion for Second Reading Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
18. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
19. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**

20. Mar. 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
21. " 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
22. " 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
23. " 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
24. " 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin). **PRINTED.**
25. " 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
26. " 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, APRIL 3RD, 1939

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5. “ 30.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek. *Mr. Armstrong*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

1. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of Pulpwood did the Iroquois Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Smooth Rock Falls mill of the Abitibi Power & Paper Company, the Kapuskasing mill of the Spruce Falls Company, each procure or purchase from each of the following sources for each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive: (a) From the Province of Quebec; (b) From licensed areas in Ontario held by each of the companies or its subsidiaries; (c) From pulp concessions in Ontario; (d) From licensed areas in Ontario held by others; (e) From freehold lands owned by each company or its subsidiaries; (f) From settlers' lots not patented at the time the pulpwood was cut; (g) From settlers' lots patented at the time the pulpwood was cut. 2. (a) What amounts of pulpwood are to be purchased from settlers' in Ontario during the operating season 1938-39 for use in each of the three mills referred to in (1) above; (b) What amounts are to be cut from pulp concessions in Ontario; (c) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by the companies or their subsidiaries; (e) What amounts are to be procured from licensed lands held by others; (f) What amounts are to be cut from freehold lands owned by the Companies; (g) What amounts are to be procured from all other sources not included in (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) above.

4. “ 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

5. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since 1934 under the Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930?

6. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1938, and what was the total deficit; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1934.
7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.
10. “ 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many agreements or undertakings of any kind have been entered into by the Government with persons or companies since January 1st, 1935, to secure or promote the establishment, erection or development of pulp mills, paper mills, pulp and paper mills or other forest industries of a similar nature; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies with whom such agreements or undertakings have been entered into; (c) What is the date upon which each such agreement or undertaking was entered into; (d) At what point or points were such mills, plants or establishments to be erected in each case; (e) What kinds and classes of products were to be produced in each of such mills, plants or establishments; what was to be the rated productive capacity of each such mill, plant or establishment; (f) Upon what date was work to be commenced upon the actual construction, development or establishment of each such mill, plant or industry; (g) Did the agreements require that a certain stated portion of the work was to be completed and a certain stated sum of money expended on or before a certain definite date and if so what was that date and what amount of work was to be completed and money expended in each such case; (h) Did the agreements require that a certain number of men be employed for a certain specified time or season during each year and if so what number of men were in each case required to be employed and for what period or season of the year; (i) Were the foregoing requirements as to amount of work to be completed, money to be spent and men to be employed promptly and fully complied with and if not what were the names of the persons or companies who were delinquent or in default in complying with the terms of their agreement; (j) What were the particulars and extent of the delinquency or default in each case; (k) What guarantee, surety or security was posted with the Government in the form of cash, bonds, fidelity assurance or other collateral to ensure fulfillment of the terms of the agreement in each case; (l) Have the terms and conditions of each of the original agreements

been fully and promptly complied with by each of the persons or companies with whom they were entered into; (m) What are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of the agreements they entered into and in what manner and particular and to what extent did each of such persons or companies fail to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their respective agreements; (n) Did the Government levy or assess any penalties or charges of any nature whatsoever against those persons or companies who failed to fully and promptly comply with the terms of their agreements; (o) Where cash, bonds or other collateral security had been deposited with the Government as a guarantee or surety for the due and full performance of the terms of the agreement and the person or company with whom the agreement was entered into was delinquent or in default with respect to the terms of such agreement, did the Government declare such guarantee or surety enforceable and the cash, bonds or other collateral deposited with the Government forfeit to the Crown and if so what were the names of those persons or companies against whom such action was taken and what were the sums or amounts declared enforceable and forfeit to the Crown in each case. 2. (a) Have any of the agreements referred to in (l) above been changed, modified or renewed; (b) If so what part of the original agreement if any had in each case been complied with at the time of such change, modification and/or renewal; (c) What are the names of the persons or companies who failed to comply fully and promptly with the terms of their original agreements who were granted changes, modifications and/or renewals to their agreements; (d) What changes or modifications were in each case made to the original agreements; (e) What was the date in each case upon which an extension of time or renewal was granted and upon what date does the extension or renewal expire and determine; (f) Are the terms of the agreements as they now stand being fully and promptly complied with in each case and if not what are the names of the persons or companies who have failed to comply with the terms of their agreements since an extension of time or renewal was granted; (g) In what particulars has each of such persons failed to comply with the terms of the changed, modified or renewed agreement. 3. What sums of money are now due and unpaid on account of each of the agreements or changed or modified or renewed agreements referred to in (1) and (2) above, give names of persons or companies together with the amount now due in each case.

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to cut sawlogs, pulpwood, ties or other classes of timber upon the lands of the Crown have been cancelled or the licensed areas upon which cutting rights were granted reduced in area or the kinds and classes of timber to be cut increased or decreased by modification of the terms of the license since January 1st, 1935. 3. What were the terms and date in each instance for the surrender, cancellation or modification of the terms of the license or for the reduction of the licensed areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 4. What payment in money or other consideration did the licensee receive from the Crown in each instance for the surrender of any licensed area or part of a licensed area or for the surrender of the right to cut any specific kind or class of timber referred to in (1) and (2) above. 5. In what respect, if any, had the licensee in each case failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement under which the license was issued in respect to those licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above. 6. Had all of the timber granted under the terms of the licenses referred to in (1) and (2) above been removed prior to the surrender, cancellation or reduction of the area and if not what quantity of each kind and class of timber was estimated to be standing upon the area at the time of surrender, cancellation or reduction. 7. In cases where timber, ties, sawlogs, pulpwood or other material had not been removed as referred to in (6) above, what penalties, assessments for damages or other charges were levied and collected in each case and were any cash deposits, guarantees, bonds or other surety or security declared enforceable or forfeit to the Crown. If so, give particulars. 8. What was the size and location of each of the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above and who were the licensees in each case. 9. What price were the licensees in each case required to pay for each kind and class of timber cut upon the areas referred to in (1) and (2) above. 10. Has the Crown, since the surrender, cancellation, reduction or modification referred to in (1) and (2) above granted new licenses to either the former licensees or others to cut any class of timber upon the areas surrendered, cancelled or reduced. 11. If any license has been granted as in (10) above what is the size and the location of the area and to whom and when was such license granted and what price is in each case to be paid for each class and kind of timber to be cut.

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under the authority of the Forest Resources Regulation Act of 1936 and in what manner does that Act authorize the Government to suspend the manufacturing conditions with respect to the export of pulpwood cut from the lands of the Crown; (d) Under what other authority did the Government permit the exportation of pulpwood cut from the Crown lands and what amounts were cut and exported under each such other authority during each of the above operating seasons. 2. (a) What is the location and size of the areas of Crown lands from which pulpwood was cut for export during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive; (b) By whom were such areas held at the time such pulpwood was cut for export and did the persons or companies who held the areas or in whose names the areas stood conduct the cutting operations and the sale of the pulpwood for export or were the operations and sale of the pulpwood carried on by others and if so who were those other persons or companies in each instance; (c) What amounts of pulpwood was cut from each of the above areas during each of the operating seasons 1934-35 to 1937-38, inclusive. 3. (a) To what foreign mills or manufacturing plants was the pulpwood referred to in (1) and (2) above delivered during each of the years 1935 to 1938, inclusive and what amount was delivered to each mill during each year; (b) In what country, state and city, town or municipality are the mills or plants referred to in (a) above located or situated and what are the names of the persons or companies who own and operate them in each case; (c) By what means, power or authority does the Government of Ontario prevent the pulpwood cut and exported from the lands of the Crown being delivered to or consumed in mills other than those to which it is originally consigned and for which the permission to export is granted; (d) Has the Government the power to prevent the conversion of such pulpwood into newsprint after it has been legally taken or removed beyond the territorial borders or administrative jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario and if so what are such powers; (e) Does the Government permit foreign mills to which pulpwood cut from Crown lands is delivered to supply, sell or transfer to other foreign pulp and/or paper mills any kind of mechanically or chemically produced pulp and if not by what means, power or authority does it prevent such supply, sale or transfer; (f) Have the owners, operators or officers of the foreign mills to which the Government permits the export of pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands any financial, managerial or pecuniary interest of any kind whatsoever in other foreign mills which manufacture or produce newsprint; (g) Does the Government permit any person or company or any officer, director or shareholder of any company enjoying the right to export pulpwood cut upon the Crown lands to hold or have any financial, managerial or other pecuniary interest in newsprint producing mills or plants situated in the States to which they are permitted to export pulpwood cut from the Crown

lands, "State" in this instance being one of those territorial and jurisdictional units of which the United States of America is composed.

13. Mar. 22.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Minister of Lands and Forests, during the operating season of 1934-35 make recommendation to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to the effect that permission be granted to cut jackpine timber for the manufacture of ties or other products upon the Long Lake Pulp Concession at a point or points in or adjacent to the townships of Danford, Exton, Nakina. 2. Was such permission granted. If so on what date. To whom was it granted. 3. Was such timber offered for sale by tender or public auction. 4. What kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut. 5. For what quantity of each of such kinds and classes of timber was permission given to cut. 6. Did the original Order-in-Council under which operations on the area in question were permitted grant permission to occupy or cut upon the area for more than the single operating season of 1934-35. 7. What upset price or bonus was set by the Department, in addition to Crown dues, as payment for the timber cut upon the area at the time the Order-in-Council authorizing the cutting was passed. 8. Was the price as referred to in (7) above subsequently increased, reduced or otherwise changed or modified; if so, state changes made. 9. Did the Department's representative at Port Arthur make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 10. Did the Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests make recommendation as to the price to be charged for the timber to be cut upon the area in question and if so what was such price. 11. What quantities of each of the kinds and classes of timber covered in the original permit to cut were returned by the Department's agent as having been cut upon the area in question during the season of 1934-35. 12. Were kinds or classes of timber other than those covered by the original permit cut upon the area in question during the operating season of 1934-35. If so what kinds and classes were so cut; what quantity of each kind or class was cut and what price was paid for each kind or class. 13. Has the operator to whom the original permit to cut upon the area in question was granted, cut any timber upon the area since the season of 1934-35 and if so during what operating seasons has he operated thereon. 14. What quantities of each kind and class of timber has the operator cut upon the area during each of the operating seasons since that of 1934-35 and what prices have been paid for each kind or class of timber so cut. 15. Have permits to operate upon the area in question been granted to operators other than the person or company to whom the original permit was granted in the season of 1934-35 and if so what quantity of each kind or class of timber was in each instance cut and what were the prices paid for the same.

16. Did the Department of Lands and Forests at any time since the operating season of 1934-35 offer any of the timber on the area in question for sale by tender, at public auction or in any other manner whereby the value of the timber might have been determined through open and unrestricted competition. 17. Does any agreement or understanding exist between the Department of Lands and Forests and any operator or operators as to present or future operations upon the area in question. If so, what are the terms of such agreement or understanding.

14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.

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22. “ 31.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have the insurance company bonds held by the Province in respect of Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited licensed timber areas been surrendered by the Province, if so give particulars of the bonds so surrendered, amount and name of the company in the case of each bond so surrendered. 2. What bonds if any have been substituted for the insurance company bonds so surrendered.
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24. “ 31.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Government, during the operating season 1934-35 advertise for sale the timber or any part thereof standing or growing

upon the Townships of Copperfield and/or Bonar or any part or parts thereof; (b) What number of bids were received for said timber, who were the bidders and what price did each of the bidders offer to pay for each kind and class of timber offered for sale; (c) What was the actual price received by the Government for each kind and class of timber sold and what was the name of the successful bidder; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber were cut upon the area in question for each of the operating seasons during which the area was under license or permit to cut.

25. Mar. 31.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender increased the size of any areas held under license from the Crown for the cutting of pulpwood, saw logs, railway ties or other kinds or classes of timber or timber products; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses the area of which has been increased as referred to in (a) above; (c) What was the size of the original area and what kinds and classes of timber were covered by the original license and what was the price paid for each of the original kinds and classes of timber in each case; (d) What was the size of the new area added to the original licensed area in each case and what kinds and classes of timber were permitted to be cut upon the new area and what prices were paid for each kind and class of timber thereon; (e) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the area covered by the original license for each of the operating seasons since the new area was added in each case; (f) What quantities of each kind and class of timber has been cut upon the new area for each operating season since it was added to the original licensed area in each case. 2. (a) Has the Government since August 1st, 1934, by Order-in-Council or by any other means or process other than by advertisement and sale by tender added to the kinds and classes of timber permitted to be cut under the terms of the original license any other additional kinds or classes of timber on the area originally licensed; (b) What are the names of the persons or companies holding such licenses and what additional kinds and classes of timber have in each case been added to the kinds and classes covered by the original license; (c) What price has been charged in each case for each kind or class of timber added to those kinds and classes already covered under the terms of the original license; (d) What quantities of each kind or class of timber covered by the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds or classes of timber were added to the license to cut; (e) What quantities of each kind or class of timber added to the original license have in each case been cut during each operating season since the new kinds and classes of timber were added to those covered by the original license.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

11. Mar. 30.—*Mr. Kennedy*—That in the opinion of this House reforestation and the preservation of forests is essential to the continuation of farming in this Province, and a permanent plan of water sheds should be established by means of which a map of every county will be prepared, showing where forests should be preserved or planted, such map to be furnished by the Department of Forestry on request of any County Council.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

6. Mar. 28.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Elliott.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

6. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Hipel*—Consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed during the Session of 1938 to consider a revision of the Rules of the House.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

8. Mar. 30.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
9. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The La Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

14. Mar. 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 23.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 27.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the motion for Second Reading Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
22. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
23. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
24. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
25. “ 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
26. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 4TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

18. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **NOT PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

4. Mar. 17.—*Mr. Kidd*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased by the government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, Ontario. 2. How many acres of land were purchased; (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case. 6. What is the total amount expended within tenders. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender. 8. How many buildings are now under construction.

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PRIVATE BILLS

1939

19. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean. *Mr. Acres.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton. *Mr. Bethune.* **REPRINTED.**
23. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek. *Mr. Armstrong.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5TH, 1939

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PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

1. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names. *Mr. Hagey.* **NOT PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1939

3. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the Township of Nepean. *Mr. Acres.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton. *Mr. Bethune.* **REPRINTED.**
7. “ 30.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Trout Creek. *Mr. Armstrong.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria. *Mr. MacGillivray.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Duncan.* **NOT PRINTED.**
10. “ 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville. *Mr. Arnott.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William. *Mr. Cox.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

12. Mar. 30.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)*.
13. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Pharmacy Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 9.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
16. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Heenan*. **PRINTED.**
17. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
18. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
19. “ 23.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
20. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
21. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
22. “ 29.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
23. “ 22.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant)*. **PRINTED.**
24. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc*. **PRINTED.**
25. “ 27.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
26. “ 29.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**

27. Apr. 4.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
28. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
29. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, APRIL 6TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

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3. “ 30.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Town of Waterloo. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**

4. Mar. 30.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Township of Barton. *Mr. Bethune.* **REPRINTED.**
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10. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

24. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

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7. “ 17.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure from July, 1934, to date on (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.
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16. Mar. 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been expended for approaches, bridges and highway in connection with the Thousand Islands International Bridge project. 2. Were tenders called for such work. What tenders were received and who were the successful tenderers. 3. What work, if any, was done without tender.
17. “ 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiation. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.
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26. Apr. 5.—*Mr. Freeborn*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total number employed by the Department of Game and Fisheries as of (a) March 1st, 1934; (b) July 1st, 1934; (c) March 1st, 1939.

PRIVATE BILLS

1939

25. Apr. 4.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria. *Mr. MacGillivray*. **PRINTED.**
26. “ 4.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Duncan*. **REPRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

1. Mar. 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. Mr. Conant. **REPRINTED.**
2. “ 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 54), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. Mr. Leduc. **REPRINTED.**

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27. “ 5.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario as of March 31st, 1939, (a) Permanent, (b) Temporary; excluding any outside Boards and Commissions and the Liquor Control Board.
28. “ 5.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during the year ending 31st October, 1938, as follows: Total energy purchased, 1938, kilowatt hours; Total energy generated, 1938, kilowatt hours.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

3. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 72), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1939

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10. “ 4.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William. *Mr. Cox.* **REPRINTED.**
11. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham. *Mr. Campbell (Kent East).* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar. *Mr. Blakelock.* **REPRINTED.**
13. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
14. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West. *Mr. Trottier.* **REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

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22. “ 27.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
23. “ 29.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
24. Apr. 4.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
25. “ 6.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross*. **NOT PRINTED.**
26. “ 6.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
27. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
28. “ 20.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, APRIL 13TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS


1939.

1. Mar. 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Coroners' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **REPRINTED.**
2. Apr. 4.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Alexandria. *Mr. MacGillivray.* **PRINTED.**

3. Apr. 4.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Duncan.* **REPRINTED.**
4. “ 4.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the Women's Christian Association of Belleville. *Mr. Arnott.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 4.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Cities of Port Arthur and Fort William. *Mr. Cox.* **REPRINTED.**
6. Mar. 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
7. “ 23.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 55), The Security Transfer Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
9. “ 22.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 52), The Training Schools Act, 1939. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **NOT REPRINTED.**
10. “ 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 56), The Race Tracks Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

11. Mar. 30.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
12. “ 29.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 64), The Collection Agencies Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
13. Apr. 4.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Constables Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
14. Mar. 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
16.  Apr. 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **NOT PRINTED.**
17. “ 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**

18. Apr. 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939.
Mr. Houck. PRINTED.
19. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 78), The Village of Lion's Head Act.
1939. *Mr. Houck. PRINTED.*
20. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural
Hydro-Electric Distribution Act. *Mr. Houck. PRINTED.*
21. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power
Commission Act. *Mr. Houck. PRINTED.*
22. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
23. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

24. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters
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26. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), An Act to Recognize in law the
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Lawful Interests. *Mr. Croll. NOT PRINTED.*

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14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.
16. “ 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been expended for approaches, bridges and highway in connection with the Thousand Islands International Bridge project. 2. Were tenders called for such work. What tenders were received and who were the successful tenderers. 3. What work, if any, was done without tender.
17. “ 30.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are or were the contractors in charge of the construction of the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane highway that extends about five miles west from the Town of Brockville. 2. Were tenders advertised for by the Department of Highways for all such work. 3. If so, who submitted tenders, and what was the amount of each tender received. 4. If not, what method was adopted by the Department in selecting Contractors to undertake the work. 5. What amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiation. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.
18. “ 30.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands in Ontario are there: (a) Under patent; (b) Under lease; (c) Staked, prior to patent. 2. What is the rate of annual provincial taxation under each division (a), (b) and (c) above. 3. What is the gross amount received by the Provincial Government during the last completed fiscal year under each of the said divisions. 4. Are any of the said taxes presently in arrears. 5. What is the amount of the present arrears, if any. 6. What is the maximum length of time of such arrears. 7. Has there been any change in the rate of

such taxation since 1934. 8. What was the amount of such arrears, if any, in 1934. 9. What was the maximum length of time of such arrears in 1934. 10. How many acres have been cancelled for non-payment of taxes in each year since 1924.

19. Mar. 31.—*Mr. T. A. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the centre road from Brown's Line to the Town of Burlington from November 1st, 1934, to date; (a) What is the total mileage; (b) Who are the contractors who performed the work.
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22. " 31.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have the insurance company bonds held by the Province in respect of Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited licensed timber areas been surrendered by the Province, if so give particulars of the bonds so surrendered, amount and name of the company in the case of each bond so surrendered. 2. What bonds if any have been substituted for the insurance company bonds so surrendered.
23. " 31.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the waterway for the transportation of wood referred to in the agreement with Pulpwood Supply Company Limited ready for the transportation of wood. If so at what date was it so ready. How much wood has been transported along such waterway. 2. How much wood is ready for transport along the same.
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NOTICE OF MOTION

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PRIVATE BILLS

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30. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West. *Mr. Trotter*. **REPRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH, 1939

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MOTIONS.

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34. “ 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Government entered into or offered to enter into any arrangement with any licensee holding a license or permit to cut any class of timber upon the lands of the Crown, other than the Abitibi Power and Paper Company, Limited, for the surrender of cash deposits or guarantee company bonds and the substitution therefor of bonds of the licensee in equal amounts; (b) If so what are the names of such licensees and for what licensed area or areas have such substitutions been arranged or proposed; (c) What was the amount of the original guarantee company bond or cash deposit surrendered and what was the nature and amount of the bond substituted therefor in each case; (d) Were the bonds surrendered in full effect at the time the substitution referred to above was made or were any of them in default in any respect and if in default what was the nature and extent of the default in each case.
35. “ 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Minister of Lands and Forests give his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited; (b) Upon what date was such consent granted; (c) Were the terms of the original agreement made and entered into on January 30th, 1926, between the Crown and the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, in any respect or

manner changed or modified, and if so in what respect or respects and to what extent in each case; (d) Is the \$50,000.00 deposit called for in Paragraph 5 of the original agreement still on deposit with the Government or has the amount been reduced by charges due the Government, if so by what amount has the original sum been reduced and on account of what charges were such reductions made; (e) Has the \$200,000.00 guarantee company bond required by the terms of Paragraph 5 of the original agreement been maintained in full effect and if not when was it permitted to lapse or become ineffective; if still in effect upon what date does it expire and what is the name of the guarantee company in whose name it is drawn; (f) What steps has the Government taken since the default of the Nipigon Corporation to enforce the guarantee company bond or to declare the \$50,000.00 cash deposit forfeit to the Crown.

36. Apr. 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many acres of good agricultural land suitable for homestead purposes are at present available for location by prospective settlers in each of the Townships open for settlement in the District of Cochrane; (b) How many patents have been granted to settlers in each of the above Townships since they were first opened to settlement and how many acres have, in each Township, been patented; (c) How many settlers are there in each of the above townships who are not in default or in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties who have not yet received their patents; (d) How many settlers' lots are there in each of the above Townships which have been entered upon by prospective settlers and subsequently abandoned or cancelled and which are at present unoccupied; (e) How many settlers in each of the above Townships are in default or are in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties but who are still permitted to remain in occupation of their homesteads; (f) How many acres of good agricultural land are there in each of the above Townships for which no prospective settler has ever applied; (g) How many acres in each of the above Townships are at present under tillage or cultivation; (h) What quantities of pulpwood or other timber are estimated to be standing or growing upon the unpatented portions of each of the above Townships.

37. “ 14.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Government provided courses of instruction in primary and secondary schools to feature the teaching of what the Crown and the Flag typifies and the duties and privileges of citizenship under democracy. If so, to what extent.

38. “ 14.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Department of Education of Ontario approved of the use of the History Book entitled “Britain's History,” The Kingsway

Histories from the Age of Elizabeth to Modern Times, by E. Wynn Williams, B.A., carrying a statement in the fly leaf (revised and adapted for Canadian Schools), by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, instructors in the University of Toronto Schools; (b) If so, why. 2. What features merit the approval of the Department. 3. What checks are set up by the Department to examine books before they are approved.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

15. Apr. 15.—*Mr. Hunter*—Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion calling for the dismissal of Professor Grube of Trinity University and Professor Underhill of Toronto University.
13. “ 12.—*Mr. Drew*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Copies of any agreements entered into since March 1st, 1938, by the Minister under The Forest Regulations Act, 1936. 2. Copies of any regulations or Orders-in-Council passed since March 1st, 1938, granting or cancelling any timber concessions or limits in the Province of Ontario.
14. “ 14.—*Mr. Drew*—That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

6. Apr. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck*. **NOT PRINTED.**
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9. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 81), The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939. *Mr. Croll*. **NOT PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1939

10. Apr. 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Chatham. *Mr. Campbell* (Kent East). **PRINTED.**
11. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Township of Trafalgar. *Mr. Blakelock*. **REPRINTED.**
12. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
13. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Township of Sandwich West. *Mr. Trottier*. **REPRINTED.**
14. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside. *Mr. Henry*. **NOT REPRINTED.**
15. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L’Institut Canadian Français de la Cité d’Ottawa. *Mr. Belanger*. **PRINTED.**
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amount has been paid to each of the contractors by tender up to the present time. 6. What amount has been paid to each contractor without tender up to the present time. 7. What portion of the said highway has been completed. 8. What is the estimated cost of the completion of the highway. 9. When will the said highway be completed. 10. Were any of the original contracts extended, if so when and upon what basis was such extension made. How much has been paid on each extension. 11. From whom were lands purchased for right of way for the new double lane highway from the Town of Gananoque to the double lane that extends about five miles west of the Town of Brockville. What was the acreage and amount paid in each case. 12. What parcels were secured by (a) Expropriation; (b) Negotiation. 13. How much was expended for the removal of buildings at or adjacent to the right of way, giving the names and amounts paid to such owners. 14. Have payments been completed to all owners. If not, why not.

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27. Mar. 5.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario as of March 31st, 1939, (a) Permanent, (b) Temporary; excluding any outside Boards and Commissions and the Liquor Control Board.
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35. “ 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Minister of Lands and Forests give his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited; (b) Upon what date was such consent granted; (c) Were the terms of the original agreement made and entered into on January 30th, 1926, between the Crown and the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, in any respect or

manner changed or modified, and if so in what respect or respects and to what extent in each case; (d) Is the \$50,000.00 deposit called for in Paragraph 5 of the original agreement still on deposit with the Government or has the amount been reduced by charges due the Government, if so by what amount has the original sum been reduced and on account of what charges were such reductions made; (e) Has the \$200,000.00 guarantee company bond required by the terms of Paragraph 5 of the original agreement been maintained in full effect and if not when was it permitted to lapse or become ineffective; if still in effect upon what date does it expire and what is the name of the guarantee company in whose name it is drawn; (f) What steps has the Government taken since the default of the Nipigon Corporation to enforce the guarantee company bond or to declare the \$50,000.00 cash deposit forfeit to the Crown.

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38. “ 14.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Department of Education of Ontario approved of the use of the History Book entitled “Britain's History,” The Kingsway

Histories from the Age of Elizabeth to Modern Times, by E. Wynn Williams, B.A., carrying a statement in the fly leaf (revised and adapted for Canadian Schools), by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, instructors in the University of Toronto Schools; (b) If so, why. 2. What features merit the approval of the Department. 3. What checks are set up by the Department to examine books before they are approved.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

15. Apr. 15. Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion calling for the dismissal of Professor Grube of Trinity University and Professor Underhill of Toronto University. *Mr. Hunter.*
16. “ 14.—Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests. *Mr. Drew.*

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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36. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club. *Mr. Dunbar.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19TH, 1939

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PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICE OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

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18. “ 30.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands in Ontario are there: (a) Under patent; (b) Under lease; (c) Staked, prior to patent. 2. What is the rate of annual provincial taxation under each division (a), (b) and (c) above. 3. What is the gross amount received by the Provincial Government during the last completed fiscal year under each of the said divisions. 4. Are any of the said taxes presently in arrears. 5. What is the amount of the present arrears, if any. 6. What is the maximum length of time of such arrears. 7. Has there been any change in the rate of such taxation since 1934. 8. What was the amount of such arrears, if any, in 1934. 9. What was the maximum length of time of such arrears in 1934. 10. How many acres have been cancelled for non-payment of taxes in each year since 1924.

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41. “ 18.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario in its Niagara System during the year ending 31st October, 1938, giving totals for both that purchased and that generated.
42. “ 18.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In what banks and in what amount in each were the funds of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission on deposit at the close of the last fiscal year, 31st March, 1938.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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12. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Township of King. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**
13. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
14. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

13. Apr. 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School.
Mr. Hunter. **PRINTED.**
16. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of
Ottawa Superannuation Fund. *Mr. Dunbar.* **NOT RE-
PRINTED.**
17. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of
Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital.
Mr. Lamport. **PRINTED.**
18. " 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of
Lion's Head. *Mr. Sinclair.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

19. Mar. 30.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker
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into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
20. " 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The
Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
21. Apr. 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment
Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
22. " 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act,
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23. " 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural
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33. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 92), The Drainage Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Campbell* (Sault Ste. Marie). **PRINTED.**
34. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin). **PRINTED.**
35. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
36. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, APRIL 20TH, 1939

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READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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9. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
10. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
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34. “ 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Government entered into or offered to enter into any arrangement with any licensee holding a license or permit to cut any class of timber upon the lands of the Crown, other than the Abitibi Power and Paper Company, Limited, for the surrender of cash deposits or guarantee company bonds and the substitution therefor of bonds of the licensee in equal amounts; (b) If so what are the names of such licensees and for what licensed area or areas have such substitutions been arranged or proposed; (c) What was the amount of the original guarantee company bond or cash deposit surrendered and what was the nature and amount of the bond substituted therefor in each case; (d) Were the bonds surrendered in full effect at the time the substitution referred to above was made or were any of them in default in any respect and if in default what was the nature and extent of the default in each case.
35. “ 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Did the Minister of Lands and Forests give his consent to the transfer of control of the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, from the Canadian International Paper Company, Limited, to the Lake Sulphite Company, Limited; (b) Upon what date was such consent granted; (c) Were the terms of the original agreement made and entered into on January 30th, 1926, between the Crown and the Nipigon Corporation, Limited, in any respect or manner changed or modified, and if so in what respect or respects and to what extent in each case; (d) Is the \$50,000.00 deposit called for in Paragraph 5 of the original agreement still on deposit with the Government or has the amount been reduced by charges due the Government, if so by what amount has the original sum been reduced and on account of what charges were such reductions made; (e) Has the \$200,000.00 guarantee company bond required by the terms of Paragraph 5 of the original agreement been maintained in full effect and if not when was it permitted to lapse or become ineffective; if still in effect upon what date does it expire and what is the name of the guarantee company in whose name it is drawn; (f) What steps has the Government taken since the default of the Nipigon Corporation to enforce the guarantee company bond or to declare the \$50,000.00 cash deposit forfeit to the Crown.

36. Apr. 14.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many acres of good agricultural land suitable for homestead purposes are at present available for location by prospective settlers in each of the Townships open for settlement in the District of Cochrane; (b) How many patents have been granted to settlers in each of the above Townships since they were first opened to settlement and how many acres have, in each Township, been patented; (c) How many settlers are there in each of the above townships who are not in default or in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties who have not yet received their patents; (d) How many settlers' lots are there in each of the above Townships which have been entered upon by prospective settlers and subsequently abandoned or cancelled and which are at present unoccupied; (e) How many settlers in each of the above Townships are in default or are in any manner delinquent with respect to their settlement duties but who are still permitted to remain in occupation of their homesteads; (f) How many acres of good agricultural land are there in each of the above Townships for which no prospective settler has ever applied; (g) How many acres in each of the above Townships are at present under tillage or cultivation; (h) What quantities of pulpwood or other timber are estimated to be standing or growing upon the unpatented portions of each of the above Townships.
37. “ 14.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Government provided courses of instruction in primary and secondary schools to feature the teaching of what the Crown and the Flag typifies and the duties and privileges of citizenship under democracy. If so, to what extent.
38. “ 14.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Has the Department of Education of Ontario approved of the use of the History Book entitled “Britain's History,” The Kingsway Histories from the Age of Elizabeth to Modern Times, by E. Wynn Williams, B.A., carrying a statement in the fly leaf (revised and adapted for Canadian Schools), by J. L. Gill and R. F. S. Baird, instructors in the University of Toronto Schools; (b) If so, why. 2. What features merit the approval of the Department. 3. What checks are set up by the Department to examine books before they are approved.
41. “ 18.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount of electrical energy measured in kilowatt hours purchased and generated and sold by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario in its Niagara System during the year ending 31st October, 1938, giving totals for both that purchased and that generated.
42. “ 18.—*Mr. Roebuck*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In what banks and in what amount in each were the funds of the Hydro-Electric

Power Commission on deposit at the close of the last fiscal year, 31st March, 1938.

43. Apr. 19.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the salary of Mr. Purdom F. Love, Publicity Representative, Department of Agriculture.
44. “ 19.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have tenders been called for redraping the Legislative Chamber for the King's visit. 2. When was the tenders called. 3. What firms tendered on the work. And what was the amount in each case. 4. To whom was the contract awarded.
45. “ 19.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much was spent on maintenance and construction of Provincial Highway Number 24, from Shelburne to Collingwood during the past year. 2. How much was spent on snow removal on Provincial Highway Number 24 from Shelburne to Collingwood during the past fiscal year.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

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PRIVATE BILLS

1939

31. Apr. 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside. *Mr. Henry.* **REPRINTED.**
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33. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister. *Mr. Belanger.* **PRINTED.**
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39. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund. *Mr. Dunbar.* **REPRINTED.**
40. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 25), An Act respecting the Estate of Margaret Emma Bingham and the Toronto General Hospital, *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**
41. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head. *Mr. Sinclair.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, APRIL 21ST, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE: *Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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1939.

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2. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names. *Mr. Hagey.* **REPRINTED.**
3. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Marriage Act. *Mr. Croll.* **PRINTED**
6. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), An Act to Recognize in law the Right of Employees to Organize for the Furtherance of their Lawful Interests. *Mr. Croll.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 81), The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939. *Mr. Croll.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Counties Reforestation Act. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 90), An Act to amend The Embalmers and Funeral Directors Act. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1939

11. Apr. 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Town of Leaside. *Mr. Henry.* **REPRINTED.**
12. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting L'Institut Canadian Français de la Cité d'Ottawa. *Mr. Belanger.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 17), An Act to authorize the Law Society of Upper Canada to admit Aurelien Belanger as a Barrister. *Mr. Belanger.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the Rideau Club. *Mr. Dunbar.* **PRINTED.**

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16. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
18. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School. *Mr. Hunter.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund. *Mr. Dunbar.* **REPRINTED.**
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21. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 86), An Act respecting the Village of Lion's Head. *Mr. Sinclair.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

- 1939.
22. Apr. 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
 23. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
 24. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
 25. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
 26. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
 27. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
 28. “ 14.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Simpson.* **PRINTED.**
 29. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **REPRINTED.**

30. Apr. 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **REPRINTED.**
31. Mar. 29.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
32. Apr. 6.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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38. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin). **PRINTED.**
39. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 94), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
40. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 95), The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939. *Mr. Hipel.* **NOT PRINTED.**
41. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting Credit Unions. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
42. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 97), An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin). **PRINTED.**
43. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
44. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

No. 31

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, APRIL 24TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; PRIVATE BILLS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS;
NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES
OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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PRIVATE BILLS

1939

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7. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Etobicoke. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
8. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Crescent School. *Mr. Hunter.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 24), An Act to incorporate the City of Ottawa Superannuation Fund. *Mr. Dunbar.* **RE-PRINTED.**
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46. " 21.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or building of bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) Location of work; (f) Mileage or length of construction.

N.B.—No details need be given of extensions covered in Sessional Paper No. 56, 20th Legislature, 2nd Session, 1938.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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13. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 69), An Act respecting the Changing of Names. *Mr. Hagey*. **REPRINTED.**
14. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 71), An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Kennedy*. **PRINTED.**
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GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the

carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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25. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act. *Mr. Houck*. **PRINTED.**
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43. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

No. 32

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 25TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

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12. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 75), The Guelph Railway Act, 1939. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Rural Hydro-Electric Distribution Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 17.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 93), An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 97), An Act respecting a Company to be known as The Southern Algoma Railway Company. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 14.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Municipal Subsidy Act. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 14.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 17.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

19. Apr. 6.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 12.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Power Commission Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**

23. Apr. 14.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Simpson.* **PRINTED.**
24. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Limitations Act. *Mr. Conant.* **REPRINTED.**
25. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Mortgages Act. *Mr. Conant.* **REPRINTED.**
26. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
27. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 94), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
28. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 73), An Act respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
29. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 95), The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1939. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
30. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting Credit Unions. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
31. “ 24.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 98), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).* **PRINTED.**
32. Mar. 30.—*House in Committee* of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
33. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

34. Apr. 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), An Act to Recognize in law the Right of Employees to Organize for the Furtherance of their Lawful Interests. *Mr. Croll.* **PRINTED.**
35. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 81), The Holidays with Remuneration Act, 1939. *Mr. Croll.* **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1939.

14. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the year 1938. 2. What were (a) operating expenses; (b) maintenance cost; (c) interest charges; (d) other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.
46. Apr. 21.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or building of bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders during the period April 1st, 1937, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) Location of work; (f) Mileage or length of construction.

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48. “ 24.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Provincial Treasurer since 1934 utilized the provision of section 20 of The Succession Duty Act and applied to any Surrogate Court Judge to make inquiries into the matters mentioned in section 20. 2. If so, what Surrogate Court Judge of what Counties have so acted.

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1939.

15. Apr. 15.—Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion calling for the dismissal of Professor Grube of Trinity University and Professor Underhill of Toronto University. *Mr. Hunter.*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

1. Apr. 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**

3. Apr. 14.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 83), The School Law Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Simpson.* **PRINTED.**
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49. “ 25.—*Mr. Arnott*—On Wednesday next—1. How much has Mr. A. G. Slaght, K.C., received in legal fees from the Government since July 1st, 1934, giving total for all services. 2. Does Mr. Slaght still receive a retaining fee from the T. & N.O. Railway, and if so, how much.

50. “ 25.—*Mr. Arnott*—On Wednesday next—1. How much did the new bridge on Highway No. 11 situated in Burks Falls and opened

in 1938, cost; (a) What was the amount of the original contract; (b) If changes were made what did these alterations cost; (c) How many engineers, surveyors, inspectors and superintendents were employed in connection with this structure.

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 16. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, APRIL 27TH, 1939

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PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE: —THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

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16. “ 26.—That in the opinion of this House enquiry should be conducted under the Public Enquiries Act into the activities of organizations in this Province which are seeking to destroy our democratic institutions. *Mr. Drew.*

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